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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

## BARBECUE COMMEMORATES COMPLETION OF HONDO CREEK BRIDGE

The completion of the Hondo Creek Bridge on Highway No. 90 was fittingly celebrated last Thursday evening, July 11, with a big barbecue supper and general get-together of highway engineers, contractors and builders, and laymen who were invited guests, at the roadside park a few miles east of Hondo. Host of this successful affair was Mr. Luther A. Turner, bridge contractor of the firm, Cage Bros. & L. A. Turner, builder of the Hondo bridge and now engaged in constructing the bridge over the Medina River at Castroville.

The crowd began gathering at the park about 6:30 P. M., and some 200 guests enjoyed an old-time barbecue supper of barbecue beef and mutton, frijoles, cowboy stew, chili, bread, pickles and onions, cake, coffee, beer and soda water. Mr. Turner was assisted in serving by members of his staff of workers and Medina County officials. Long tables had been arranged to facilitate the serving and eating of the supper.

Guests included all the Medina County officials and their wives, and the County employees, the personnel of the Turner engineering staff, and prominent Highway Department officials and their wives and friends. Several of the guests were asked to speak, and County Judge Arthur H. Rothe acted as master of ceremonies and introduced them. Principal among them was Hon. Robert Lee Bobbitt, member of the Texas Highway Commission, who lauded the citizenship of Medina County and the Commissioners' Court for their cooperation with the Highway Department in its program of highway and bridge building and improvement.

Other noteworthy speakers were Mr. G. G. Edwards, Highway Planning Engineer, Mr. G. G. Wickline, Bridge Engineer, Mr. R. J. Hank, Supt. of Aid Projects, and Mr. M. B. Hodges, Maintenance Engineer, all of Austin. They talked briefly on the routines of their respective offices.

Mr. F. S. Maddox, District Engineer with offices in San Antonio, and Capt. A. Schlafli, Senior Resident Engineer, who was formerly located in the county courthouse here but now in Castroville, were also interesting speakers, as was a notable guest, Judge James R. Norvell, Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, of San Antonio. The host, Mr. Turner, and Mr. Scott Clark, Supt. for Cage Bros. & L. A. Turner, were prevailed upon to say a few words, thus bringing the celebration to a close about 9:30 P. M.

Of county-wide interest is the promise made the highway officials in the course of Judge Rothe's talk, that on the completion of the bridge over the Medina River sometime this winter, a big barbecue and all-day celebration will be given at Castroville for the public, as a gesture of appreciation on the part of the people of Medina County for the consideration and cooperation of the State Highway Department and its personnel with whom many of our citizens have come in contact during the past few years of highway activity in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolff and son, Wayne, and Mrs. Alvina Koch are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Koch at Vanderpool, Texas.

Miss Betty Jean Merriman returned last week-end from Crockett, Texas, where she visited classmates of Southwestern University.

Miss Josephine Brucks left Monday for San Marcos to attend the second summer term of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College.

Friends of Mrs. Walter Grell will be glad to know that she is recuperating rapidly from a major operation performed July 12th at Medina Hospital.

Miss Mildred Van Fleet, Shirley Ulbrich and Howard Black are a trio of Hondo young people visiting relatives and friends in Galveston this week.

Captain and Mrs. C. D. Eddleman and son, Jackie, left Tuesday for Lake Charles, Louisiana, where they will visit Captain Eddleman's mother for several days.

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The Ladies of the Methodist Church will sell cakes on Saturday, July 20th, in the building next door north of Heyen's Cafe. They earnestly solicit the patronage of the public.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Barden and children, Jimmy and Brenda, arrived the first of the week for a visit with her father, Mr. T. C. Barnes. Their home is in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Crow and daughter, Julia Maizelle, left last Thursday for a few days' vacation in Corpus Christi, as guests of Mr. Crow's sister, Mrs. J. U. Sheppard, and family.

If you want a family newspaper and do not care for a daily let us forward your subscription to the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News. It comes twice each week and costs only \$1.00 a year.

Mr. Ira Walker, teacher and assistant coach of Hondo High School, but for the past six weeks attending the University of Texas at Austin, spent the week-end here as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bridges.

Misses Octavia and Anne Davis spent Friday and Saturday in Kingsville and Corpus Christi. They were accompanied home by Miss Lucy Justine Davis, who had been attending A. & L. College at Kingsville.

Supt. Matt Bader returned home Monday from Austin where he attended the University the first term. He and Mrs. Bader left Tuesday for LaCoste, where Mr. Bader will again serve as Superintendent of the LaCoste High School.

Mrs. Nora Dawson and children, Jo and Arthur, Mrs. Ione Crouch and Mrs. F. H. Hollmig spent Sunday at Camp Rio Vista, near Kerrville, visiting Ted Dawson and John Russell Crouch. Arthur Dawson remained at the camp for a visit with his brother.

DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OUR OPTOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR CORPUS CHRISTI THE FOURTH OF AUGUST AND WILL NOT BE BACK FOR TWO MONTHS. ANYONE OF HIS PATIENTS IN NEED OF ADJUSTMENTS TO THEIR GLASSES OR HIS SERVICES, IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO SEE HIM BEFORE HE LEAVES. ON THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

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## Les Miserables, 1940 . . .



By Henry R. Luce

If you could only read all the hundreds of heart-rending reports that pour in from our correspondents in Europe:

"... at the Red Cross shelter two 12-year-old girls arrived from Charleroi still wearing the white veils and gaudy dresses in which they were taking their first Communion when they had to flee..."

"... a woman from near Arlon walked to Paris in six days without food—often bombed and machine-gunned—carrying her child, who had his first birthday on the way..."

"... a truckload of twelve drove up. Seven of them, without much talk, lifted out the other five as corpses—machine-gunned near Paris just when all seemed clear..."

"... the saddest of all are the few who have gone mad..."

"... the Red Cross worker's hardest job is to transmit confidence to these refugees like a storage battery—without bursting into tears..."

Day after day, stories like these keep flooding across our desks—hundreds of them, thousands of them.

And so you can understand why I can't help appealing to you now to give again, as generously as you passably can, to your Red Cross.

For today, once again, the American Red Cross has taken its place as America's greatest charity—battling in every shell-torn field or menaced city to relieve the suffering of war.

Every day and every hour the task of mercy to which the Red Cross is dedicated becomes more important and more pressing.

For you and I know that this war in Europe is exacting a toll of human suffering whose frightfulness

and tragedy cannot be gauged by anything that has ever gone before. Think of the little Belgian boy named Jacques N— who pushed his baby sister's carriage alone all the way to Paris after his mother failed to rise from the ditch where they had thrown themselves when he planes machine-gunned the road. Then multiply little Jacques a thousand times...

Think of the British Tommy who mumbled to his Red Cross nurse that he was going to have machine guns mounted on his new artificial legs and go back to the front lines. And multiply that Tommy by God knows how many thousands of other brave and hopeful young men, sweating with the pain of broken bodies, who will be found where they lie and aided to recovery by the Red Cross...

Think of a bewildered old couple like Pierre and Marie C— whom Red Cross volunteers reunited with the children and grandchildren they had lost on the long, bullet-spattered road from home... Think what such sudden homelessness and hunger and exhaustion would mean to your own family, and multiply this a million times...

And then I know you will give—generously, and NOW.

In times like these you must be proud, as I am, that we Americans are represented in the holocaust of Europe today by the tireless tenderness and sympathy symbolized by the Red Cross.

And now, as the Red Cross pours out medical supplies and food and clothing to help the helpless, and as the Red Cross doctors and nurses and ambulance drivers and stretcher bearers tax their nerves and bodies to meet the strain, their need for

## THIS IS WAR

Sleeping by the side of the road weary and hungry, more than 8,000,000 refugees as these have fled to the safety of southern France. This is what war has meant to the helpless. These are "Les Miserables" of 1940. Conditional surrender of France has not brought an end to their suffering.

These pictures tell their own grim story of what war has meant to the French people. Millions of women, children and the aged look to the Red Cross for help. We can do much in easing their suffering. Food, clothing and medicines have reached the stricken areas from the Red Cross societies of the world. The American Red Cross is playing a major part in this merciful work. Note the faces of these children, matured by horror—then give.

YOUR support grows greater every hour.

Since our last report, the following contributions have been received by the local Chapter of the American Red Cross, according to Rev. W. S. Highsmith, County Chairman:

Mrs. Ida Mumme, 50c; Roland Mumme, 50c; W. F. Gaudin, \$5.00; Robt. Zuberbuehler, \$1.00; G. F. Kilough, 25c; R. J. Graff, \$1.00; F. R. Grube, \$1.00; O. J. Bader, \$1.00; Mrs. Gale E. Ellis, \$2.00; E. C. Saathoff, \$1.00; Fritz Faseler, 65c; Hy. Loessberg, \$1.00; Louis J. Oeffinger, \$1.00; Alice Bertreaver, \$1.00; Mary Cook, \$1.00; Aug. Schneider, \$1.00; Clarence Neuman, 50c; Annie Weiblen, \$1.00; August Keller, 50c; Jno. G. Brucks, \$5.00; W. C. Scott, \$5.00 additional; H. H. Crow, \$1.00; Mrs. H. H. Crow, \$1.00; L. A. Saathoff, \$1.00; R. M. Chapman, \$2.50; Mrs. R. M. Chapman, \$2.50; W. J. Ney, \$5.00; W. P. Riley, \$1.00; Ben Graff, \$1.00; Jos. L. Haby, \$1.00; Mrs. Willie Heyen, \$1.00; A. H. Tillotson, \$1.00; Mrs. A. H. Tillotson, \$1.00; Rev. P. Czerkus, \$2.00; Jo Lebold Wood, \$1.00; Mary Muenink, \$1.25; Aug. Scriber, \$2.00; \$14.18 turned in by Dr. C. Weeber.

## WOMAN'S SOCIETY MEETS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Theo. Cameron Monday afternoon, July 15, at 4 o'clock. And while the earth was being refreshed with showers of rain outside, the twelve ladies assembled were enjoying pleasant association and fellowship in this hospitable home, with Mrs. Barnitz Carle as leader of the program on the subject of "Our Human Heritage", emphasizing the fact that we are really world citizens, being actual descendants of the English, the Germans, the Irish, the Scandinavians, the Italians, the French, etc., of each group in turn which has contributed so freely and constructively to our American life.

Mrs. J. G. Newton presented the impressive and inspiring Meditation on the theme of Christian brotherhood, "All One Body We".

Mrs. J. A. Horgor and Mrs. Amos Harlee gave interesting topics on "Our Human Heritage in America", mentioning some of the names of those who have contributed to our civilization in art, literature, science, etc.

Mrs. A. C. Gilliam assisted Mrs. Cameron as hostess in serving delicious refreshments of cake and punch to the guests.

## BARN, OATS BURN

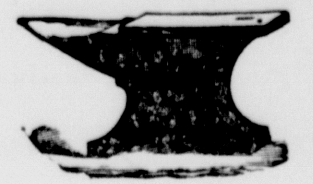
Fire, probably caused by internal combustion, destroyed a large barn with its contents, approximately 3,000 bushels of oats, Wednesday of last week on the ranch of Mrs. J. W. Ulbrich 20 miles north of Hondo. Contents of the barn were insured.

## USED CARS FOR TRADE FOR OATS

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## ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcement for Sunday, July 21: English services at 10 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:00.



## SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews  
by the  
Managing Editor

The expected happened at the Chicago convention.

Democracy was betrayed in the house of its so-called friends.

"Thirdtermism" have undermined the foundations of Democracy!

And for once Roosevelt can truthfully say:

"We planned it that way."

And with that peculiar cunning common to the twisted minds of all dictators and would-be dictators, planned it to appear as what it was not—planned it to hide his plan—planned it duplicitously to hide his duplicity.

The politicians have betrayed the nation's best bulwark against dictatorship, the nation's most sacred precedent—the inhibition of a third term!

Will the people follow the politicians in the mad course they are traveling?

We are supposed to be arming against the aggressions of foreign dictators.

Once in war, on pretext ever so flimsy, and we are under a dictatorship as galling as that of any other people.

That is the course we are headed!

Is that the course the people choose?

Are the people to be again misled by such a fetish as before—

"He kept us out of war?"

## CHEAP MONEY COSTLY

"In the long run," said a small town banker recently, "it will be the Government that will suffer most from its cheap money policy, for it is rapidly succeeding in killing off thrift, the real backbone of its security."

Nothing can do more than excessively cheap money to destroy the incentive to save and invest in productive undertakings. And nothing can work a heavier burden on those millions of people who depend for all or part of their livelihood on a little accumulated capital invested in securities or mortgages. The "big fellow" is hit least by cheap money—if you have enough capital, even an extremely low interest return will bring you an adequate income. It is the "little fellow" with a few thousand dollars of savings, who bears the brunt of it.

From the point of view of our national economy, cheap money seems to have proven itself an almost unmitigated evil. It has forced banks to pare interest on deposits to the point of non-existence—the banks can't pay a rate of interest they are unable to earn. And it has driven an abnormal amount of money out of industry and into non-productive channels, such as government bonds. Why should a man take a chance on a venture in which he may lose when his possible return is extremely limited? And the result is that more and more new industries go begging for the capital which would produce jobs, opportunities and new wealth for the people.

No nation can remain great when the incentive to save and be thrifty is destroyed. No nation can maintain its place in the sun when government policies virtually force money out of productive uses. No nation can go ahead when the little capital saved over arduous years through a working man's labor and sacrifice, produces a diminishing return. Any number of modern governmental laws and policies have been aimed straight at the thrifty person, the millions of ordinary Americans who would normally be saving and investing, and abnormally cheap money has been among the most damaging.—Industrial News Review.

## "MICROSCOPIC" BILLIONS

It was recently stated that the total indebtedness of Federal, State and local governments did not increase during the seven-year period from 1932 to 1939. In that period, according to this statement, the Federal debt increased "somewhat" but was offset by a corresponding falling off in the debt of states, cities and political subdivisions. In other words the public is supposed to believe that the public debt, on the

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## TO THE RESCUE





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## Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E.

### Wash. Snaps.

As America gets down to the job of building national defense, a picture is being disclosed which startles many Washingtonians. It shows clearly the result of having a hedge-podge, disorganized federal government.

The farmer, the housewife and the grocer may think all this doesn't mean much to them. But it indicates that their tax money hasn't been spent with too much discretion by the multitude of boards, bureaus, and agencies. And Washington observers also are convinced that order must be brought out of chaos before the nation can be re-armed.

For example, the government has had very slovenly buying habits. Nearly every agency of any consequence has just been going out and buying whatever it wanted. Frequently, several agencies have wanted the same thing at the same time, so they have even bid against one another.

Furthermore, many government buyers have set up different specifications for the things they want. To illustrate, the carbon content of steel is important. It is figured in infinitesimal amounts—hundredths of a per cent. Yet various agencies specify different hundredths of a per cent of carbon which steel may contain.

All of this steel frequently is used for the same purpose, but a steel-maker who is selling to government agencies often has to produce different kinds of steel for various agencies when one kind would do for all.

There is a question of "tolerances" in engines, too. That means the space, for instance, between a piston and a cylinder wall and it is figured to thousandths or ten-thousandths parts of an inch. Various agencies have different tolerances. So the engine-maker has to produce different engines for the various agencies.

Also, many agencies have been buying from day to day without much planning. A man who sold goods to the government never knew when he might suddenly be called upon to produce a substantial quantity. The result was that he would work at top speed a while and then loaf along, or stop work, for another period.

All these things were promptly discovered by the new National Defense Advisory Commission. That is a fact that has attracted more than usual Washington attention. Some observers point out that the power to reorganize all this purchasing machinery has existed for months but nothing was done about it until the businessmen on the Defense Advisory Commission went to work.

Now, at the Commission's request, purchasing of national defense material is to be centralized in the hands of one man. Incidentally, he is Donald M. Nelson, former executive of a mail order house who wouldn't have permitted such slipshod arrangements to exist in his own firm.

—WSS—

The Defense Commission, which includes a minority of businessmen, is approaching the question of limitations on hours and wages. What its decision will be remains to be seen. But as it approached the problem, a new action by Russia attracted attention.

Russia since 1929 has been working its industries for five days and then shutting down for a day. Now, however, for the sake of national defense, they have gone back to a seven day schedule.

Also, those employees who have been working 6 hours a day will now work 7 and those who have been working 7 will work 8 hours.

France and England went through the same procedure, France yielding too late on some of its "social gains." It remains to be seen whether England and Russia have waited too long, and whether the United States will piddle along with arbitrary restrictions which hamper its national defense.

Although the history of the Jersey dairy breed in Texas has been a series of record-breaking performances at the milkpail since 1876 when the state's first purebred Jersey cow "Zula Zorne" was dropped on the farm of J. T. Montgomery, Lavonia, Texas, it would appear that the limit of the production potential of "the little Jersey cow with the big records" has not yet been reached. Perry B. Gaines of Carrollton, Ky., president of The American Jersey Cattle Club, points out that higher and higher records are being made every year.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Theodore G. Wiemers and wife to Emil D. Wiemers, warranty deed to a tract of land out of Survey No. 236, H. Brinkhoff, and out of Survey No. 267, J. Poinard. One dollar and other considerations.

Emil D. Wiemers and wife to Alfred B. Wiemers, warranty deed with Vendors Lien to 162 acres of land out of Survey No. 236, H. Brinkhoff. Consideration \$4,050.00.

Alex Hitzfelder and wife to W. A. Menck, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 21 and 22, Block 12, in town of Natalia. Ten dollars and other valuable consideration.

J. W. Moorman and wife to Lonnie Glasscock, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to following tracts of land: First, 2337 acres of land out of Surveys No. 9 and 10, S. A. & M. G. R. Co., No. 1269, Mary Lewis, No. 1002 1-2, J. Weber, No. 1002 1-3 A. Causici, No. 1004 1-4, El Paso Irrigation Co., No. 469 3-4, J. Scherer, No. 461 1-4, J. Debres, No. 1269, Mary Lewis, No. 461 3-4, J. Brauch, No. 461 1-2, L. McClure, No. 1002 1-3, A. Causici, No. 1004 1-4, El Paso Irrigation and Mfg. Company; Second, 3.68 acres out of Survey No. 1002 1-2, J. Weber; aggregating 2340.68 acres. Consideration \$50,000.00.

S. W. Kearny to Meyer Epstein and Jerome Epstein, warranty deed to Lot 28, Block 141, and Lot 16, Block 141, in Natalia. Consideration \$4.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to James M. Laurie, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 16.57 acres of land out of M. W. Dikes Original Survey No. 27, and John Hardin Original Survey No. 35 1-2. Consideration \$1,242.10.

O. J. Bader et al to Alice Bertaever and Mary Cook, warranty deed to Lot No. 3, in Block Letter "E", of the Fly Addition to town of Hondo. Consideration \$300.00.

Ross Doughty Jr. to W. J. Moore, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 2258.35 acres, on Deer Creek, out of Surveys Nos. 871, G. E. Looney; all of Survey No. 486, J. L. Laver; all of Survey No. 487, L. L. Laver; all of Survey No. 485, C. Postert; all of Survey No. 486 1-2, Thomas Taylor; East part of Survey No. 1107, J. Twohig; East part of Survey No. 597, J. Gray; West part of Survey No. 84, J. C. McCulloch. Consideration \$6670.83, and other consideration.

Joe T. Cotter and wife to F. W. Aids Jr., and Irene Aids, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to Lot No. 4 of Seekatz's Cherry Cove Subdivision of Jose Rivas Survey No. 79. Consideration \$150.00 and other consideration.

Daisy Wright and husband to David O. Johnson, warranty deed to Lot 34 out of Cherry Cove out of Survey No. 79, Jose Rivas. Consideration \$300.00.

S. W. Kearny to Cecilio Yutierrez, warranty deed to Lot 23, Block 141, in town of Natalia. Consideration \$35.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to E. L. Sauve, warranty deed with Vendors Lien to 6.88 acres of land out of M. W. Dikes Original Survey No. 27 and John Hardin Original Survey No. 35 1-2. Consideration \$309.60.

Juan N. Santos and wife to Thomas Santos, warranty deed to Lot No. 2 in Block No. 6, out of Garwood Addition to town of Hondo. Consideration \$400.00.

Melecio Garcia and wife to Thomas Santos, warranty deed to Lot No. 2, in Block No. 6, of Garwood Addition to town of Hondo. Ten dollars and other good consideration.

Division Lake Club to Medina Ranch Inc., warranty deed to 1650 acres of land as follows: first, 1647 4-10 acres, being out of A. Boehme Survey No. 418, A. Reyes Survey No. 105, Wm. McMaisters Survey No. 106, C. W. Gilliam Survey No. 200, J. B. Brownrigg Survey No. 394, G. C. & S. F. R. Co. Nos. 67 and 417; second, third, fourth and fifth, 5.13 acres out of Wm. McMaisters Survey No. 106; sixth, 258 3-10 acres out of Survey No. 106, Wm. McMaisters, between the Main and Division Dam; and additional real estate, water rights, etc. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

George Hutzler et al to W. S. Lilly, warranty deed to 205 acres of land out of Jos. Hillemeyer Survey No. 26. Consideration \$1077.00.

Est. of William Hutzler, by Guardian, to W. S. Lilly, guardian's deed to 1-8 interest in 205 acres of land out of Jos. Hillemeyer Survey No. 26. Consideration \$153.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to S. E. Nall, warranty deed to 20 acres of land out of Frs. J. Marquis Original Survey No. 497. Consideration \$1,200.00.

Joe E. Briscoe to Mrs. Constance T. Vance, warranty deed to Lots No. 1, 5 and 8, in Old Block No. 26, New City Block No. 45, out of Bright Addition in City of Devine. Consideration \$250.00.

Wheeler Kelly and Hagmy Investment Company to Chas. W. Crader, warranty deed to 42.33 acres of land, being Lot No. 19-A in Block No. 7 of Subdivision of lands held by Trustees of San Antonio Trust. Consideration \$2,250.00.

W. L. Bierschwale, of the Noxville community, (Kimble county), in cooperation with county agent, Richard E. Homan, recently conducted a series of goat dipping demonstrations. Eighty pounds of sulphur to 800 gallons of rain water were used to which were added 3 quarts of pine tar oil cut by adding 2 quarts of water and half pound lye solution. Pine tar cut in this manner will readily go into the solution. The dip should be rather cold with a temperature of from 54 to 56 degrees.

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## SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET

Monday, July 15, 1940.

HOGS, Estimated salable and total receipts 300. Market active, mostly 35c lower than late last week. Top and bulk of good and choice 170 to 300 lb. butchers \$6.65. Best 140 to 170 lbs. mostly \$5.75 to \$6.60. Packing sows mostly \$5.50 down, few \$5.75. Feeder pigs around \$5.00 down, few heavier weights to \$5.50.

CATTLE: Estimated salable receipts 1,000, total 1,050; CALVES, salable and total 1,400. Receipts comparatively light but trading generally dull on good and choice calves and most cows after early rounds of trading. Cows, good and choice slaughter and stocker calves weak to 25c lower than late last week, most bids and few sales took 50c off. Steers 10c and 15c lower. Common and medium calves strong to unevenly higher, most other classes steady to weak.

Medium to good grass steers mostly \$7.00 to \$8.40, including 1,072 lbs. at \$7.75, 1,191 lbs. at \$8.00, and 1,235 lbs. at the top. A string of common Brahman steers unsold late. Common and medium yearlings sold around \$6.50 to \$8.50, good kinds scarce, odd head to \$9.00. Canner and cutter cows mostly \$3.00 to \$4.25, some bids sharply lower on light weight shelly kinds. Most good fat cows sold around \$5.50 down, odd head scaling 1,232 lbs. reached \$6.00. Bulls mostly \$5.85 down.

Few good and choice 388 lb. Brahman calves and few others to \$9.50 on early rounds, but most sales \$9.00 down late. Common and medium calves active at \$6.50 to \$8.25, culled down to \$5.00, few below Most bids and few sales stocker heifer calves around \$8.00 down, steers around \$9.00 down, although a few head of choice steers reached \$10.25. Common stockers were active at \$6.50 to \$7.00.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 400. Market dull. Most bids and few sales lambs around 50c to 75c lower. Medium fat woolled lambs \$6.50 down, good kinds to \$7.25, few stockers \$5.00 and \$5.50, yearlings \$4.50. Angora goats \$2.75 down, some unsold.

## AS TO PREPAREDNESS

The dictators "have definite designs" on the Western hemisphere, and peace can be assured in this part of the world only through "the utmost of preparedness, quickly and efficiently brought to pass," Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace declared recently.

Mr. Wallace's statement was made in a message to six hundred officials and employees of the Rural Electrification Administration, meeting at the Commerce Department auditorium to consider the REA program for the new fiscal year in relation to the broader national effort for preparedness and defense.

The Secretary's message said: "It is appropriate that this meeting should recognize that we in the United States are now facing one of the most critical periods of our entire history. With the greatest possible speed we must prepare to the limit on every front. Only through the utmost of preparedness, quickly and efficiently brought to pass, can we be sure of peace on this hemisphere. In this tremendous effort all of us will be needed. Each one of us must contribute his or her part."

"The dictators have definite designs on this hemisphere. First by ideological penetration, second by economic pincers, and third by military aggression,—they hope to bring this hemisphere within the orbit of their power."

"Every day counts. Action must be swift and decisive. If we act in this spirit we can command fear and respect from every aggressor nation and thus make certain of peace on this hemisphere."

"On us who are in Government falls the responsibility of doing everything possible to bring about cooperation with agriculture, labor and industry in the general welfare. Our people are awake; they know they are needed; they want to be used to protect the democracy of this hemisphere."

Harry Slattery, Administrator of REA, read Mr. Wallace's message. In his own statement Mr. Slattery

told his associates:

"This is the most critical hour, in my opinion, that America has ever known. We in Washington in the Government service must strengthen the bulwarks of Democracy with every ounce of power at our command."

"The REA can make a contribution to help strengthen this country in American agriculture."

"As President Roosevelt said in his historic speech at Charlottesville, Virginia, that will go down in history as one of the great epics, 'We will pursue two obvious and simultaneous courses: We will extend to the opponents of force the material resources of this Nation and, at the same time, we will harness and speed up the use of those resources in order that we ourselves in the Americas may have equipment and training equal to the task of any emergency and every defense.'"

Mr. Slattery and Robert B. Craig, deputy administrator, outlined the plans for the REA program for the new fiscal year.

Other REA officials who addressed the group were Clarence Winder, director of Engineering and Operations, George D. Munger, Director of Utilization, Kendall Foss, Director of the Administrative Division, M. L. Ramsay, Director of Information and Research, Dr. Harlow S. Person, Consulting Economist, and Harry C. Lamberton, Assistant General Counsel.—Printed by request.

## LAST CALL TO CLINIC

This is the last notice of the Crippled Children's Diagnostic clinic to be held at the First Baptist Church in Uvalde, Friday, July 26th, 1940. The clinic is free to all crippled children up to 21 years of age and is held for the purpose of finding what can be done to help these children have defects corrected. Five doctors from San Antonio, Houston and Galveston are giving their services for the sake of helping our handicapped youngsters.

Parents and friends of children coming to the clinic are reminded to make arrangements now for getting children to Uvalde and back. Every child should come with a parent, relative or friend if possible. Examinations will mean more and more advice understood best by those who attend. Milk will be provided by American Legion Post No. 26, Uvalde. Boy Scouts will have Dr. Peppers and Coca Colas for sale.

Local organizations back of this clinic are: Uvalde County Crippled Children's Committee, Uvalde County P-T. A. Council, Uvalde American Legion Post No. 26, Uvalde Chamber of Commerce, Uvalde Rotary and Lions Clubs.

For any information about the clinic, address Mrs. H. H. Carmichael, Chairman, Uvalde County Crippled Children's Committee, Uvalde, Texas.

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## LA COSTE LEDGERETS

**The La Coste Ledger.**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mechler and Bonnie Wanjura from Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer and baby and Herbert Huegele from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. August Weynand and sons and J. B. Huegele were visitors at Hondo Sunday in the Henry Batot and Hugo Batot homes.

## INJURIES RECEIVED IN AUTO ACCIDENT SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haegelin and son from Cliff suffered slight injuries Sunday morning, July 7, 1940, when their car and a car driven by Sam Galvan of Rio Medina collided near the old Burrell School House on the Rio Medina-Castroville Road in a head-on collision.  
Both cars were badly damaged and all occupants of the cars received severe bruises and cuts. However, none were seriously injured.  
Mr. and Mrs. Haegelin and son were on their way to Castroville to see the old Burrell School House on the Rio Medina-Castroville Road in a head-on collision.  
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## BREITEN-MARTINEZ

Miss Beatrice Martinez from here and Irvin Breiten of Hondo, were united in marriage at the St. Louis Rectory Saturday morning, July 6th, 1940, at nine o'clock. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wernette and Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Selis. After breakfast, served at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Juana Martinez, the young couple left for their home in Hondo, where the groom is employed.

Glenore Mechler from Hondo and Janet Reicherzer spent Friday with Bonnie Wanjura at Lytle.

Richard Biediger Jr., is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Barley and baby at Hebbornville.

Ed Kempf of Atascosa was a La Coste visitor Friday.

Frank Scharsch of Castroville visited in LaCoste Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Tschirhart of Rio Medina visited in LaCoste Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Ahr of LaCoste underwent an operation in a San Antonio Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart from Noonan visited in LaCoste Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Biediger from Spindletop were LaCoste visitors Tuesday afternoon.

U. B. Kempf of Castroville was a business visitor in LaCoste Tuesday.

Miss Alice Graff of Hondo is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Zuercher here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyer of Atascosa visited in LaCoste Tuesday morning.

Johnny Cook of Houston is visiting with Mrs. Mary Keller and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bippert and children from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. A. Jungman, Alice Betreaver and Mary Cook from Hondo visited relatives here last Friday.

Mrs. R. G. Pump of San Antonio and Mrs. P. H. Schlach of Refugio, Texas, visited Mrs. Katie Reicherzer and Mrs. F. A. Bohl here Tuesday.

Mrs. Mayne Tripp and children, H. H. Tripp and Mary Ellen McKaig, and Miss Dorothy Bailey of San Antonio visited with friends and relatives in LaCoste Tuesday.

Mrs. Emil Bendele and son, Eugene, from Devine and Mrs. C. R. Davis and daughters from Houston visited in the W. F. Biediger and Henry Zinsmeyer homes last Friday.

Vinson Huegele from Uvalde is enjoying a two weeks' vacation visiting with relatives and friends at Rio Medina, Lytle and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bippert from the Potranco are enjoying a trip through the States and are now having a fine time in Battle Creek, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Salzman and daughters of San Antonio were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

They were accompanied home by Grace Salzman, who had spent the past week here, with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mechler of Lytle and Miss Norma Mechler and Lawrence Domingo of Houston were dinner guests in the R. J. Wanjura home Thursday evening at Lytle.

Mrs. J. C. Cobb and son, Wayne, of San Antonio visited relatives in LaCoste Thursday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rihn and son, Wm. Jr., for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Steinle of Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rihn and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and children of LaCoste were dinner guests in the J. H. Steinle home at Dunlay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lundy and daughter Marian, of San Antonio visited with relatives in LaCoste Sunday evening. They were accompanied home by Roy Rihn who will visit with relatives in San Antonio this week.

Vinson Huegele from Uvalde, Mrs. G. A. Mechler from Lytle, Mrs. O. W. Huegele and daughter, Alta, from Rio Medina, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Wurzback of Rio Medina spent Tuesday at the Loma Alto Ranch in the C. T. Wurzback home.

Postmaster A. E. Jungman and daughter, Miss Lillian returned from a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard H. Jungman at Corpus Christi. Mr. Joseph Mechler, who accompanied them to Corpus, remained and will spend the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jungman.

Among those from out of town attending the funeral of the late Otto A. Etter were Mrs. Henry Etter and son, Henry, Mrs. Louis Martin and daughter and Mrs. Batot, Ferdinand Dolch and Mr. Elridge of Eagle Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pump, Mr. Lizzie Decker, Mrs. Evelyn

Woods, Mrs. Clara Dickson, Mrs. Cecelia Etter and daughter, Mrs. Grant and son, Herman, of San Antonio; Mrs. Paul Schlach and daughter, Willis, from Refugio; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Ross and son and Mrs. R. J. Etter from Skidmore; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Barley and son from Hebbornville.

Harry Hans of Castroville was a visitor here Wednesday.

Dr. M. S. Derankou of Hondo visited in LaCoste Wednesday afternoon.

C. L. Loessberg of Macdona was in LaCoste Wednesday on business.

F. W. Etter and daughter, Miss Grace and Mrs. Jane Mechler from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Margaret Keller is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller and children at LaPryor.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jungman and Bernard Jungman left Wednesday for Corpus Christi for several weeks visit.

Frank Miksch from Asherton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Harvey and daughter, Yvonne Rose, Mrs. Alfred Keller and son, Alfred Jr., spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting interesting points in Burnet County.

The J. L. and George Zuercher families were among the relatives from here attending the funeral of Martin Zuercher in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mangold and Mrs. Otto Jungman were in San Antonio Monday morning to attend the funeral of their uncle, Martin Zuercher.

Misses Hazel Jungman and LaVerne Rihn of San Antonio, spent Sunday with homefolks and were accompanied back to San Antonio Sunday evening by Misses Lillian Jungman and Isabel Mangold.

G. C. Jackson of Crystal City and Judge Jores from Uvalde were in LaCoste Tuesday in the interest of Mr. Jackson's candidacy for Representative of the 77th district.

Miss Lois Bohl of Devine visited at the Alex Jungman home here Tuesday.

Miss Lillian Jungman accompanied her home and will visit with relatives and friends at Devine for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman Jr. and son, Curtis James, returned to their home in San Antonio Sunday after spending two weeks vacation with relatives and friends here and at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Tondre from here and Jake Mann from Goldfinch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Tondre and children at LaPryor and while there also witnessed the ball game between LaCoste and LaPryor.

Thomas Biediger, who spent the past two weeks with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller and children at LaPryor returned home Sunday. Malcolm Keller accompanied him to LaCoste and will spend some time here.

Little Imogene and Irene Salzman of San Antonio are guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. A. N. Mangold and Otto Jungman and Larry Mangold and Misses Mildred and Isabel Mangold visited with Mrs. Bru Miller at Hondo Friday.

Lawrence Domingo and Miss Norma Mechler of Houston were visitors of Joe Adam and family in LaCoste recently. They spent a joyous week by going to Laredo, Kerrville, and Alpine to see the McDonald Observatory.

The Missions, Alamo, and Brackenridge Park in San Antonio, which they visited with Herbert Adam as their guest, proved to be very interesting places. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Zuercher and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wanjura for chicken suppers and also spent an enjoyable evening at the Castroville picnic and at the dance. Leonard Adam returned with them to Houston to visit there several weeks.

WAR DEPARTMENT TO BUY HORSES, MULES HERE

Mr. P. R. Richter has received notice from the War Department that army men will purchase horses and pack mules in the South Central Remount Area, which includes Hondo and D'Hanis. The army buyers will be in Hondo the morning of Tuesday, July 23, and in D'Hanis the morning of the same day, at the M. T. Schuchart ranch.

The announcement added that to meet the requirements of an expanding Army, the War Department expects to purchase 75 per cent of its animal allotment of horses by September 15, and all pack mules by August 1.

To facilitate buying, the Fort Worth office of this Remount Area sent out the following list of qualifications:

**HORSES**—Cavalry and heavy cavalry (light draft).

a. Kind—Rugged, good muddled, straight legged Half-Breds which travel right.

b. Height—15/0 to 15/3 hands; 16/0 hands if mature.

c. Weight—From 1000 pounds to 1275 pounds, according to height.

d. Age—4 to 8 years old.

e. Sex—Geldings.

f. Price—Average \$165.00. A good 15-hand horse will bring less than a good 16/1-hand horse.

Note: Draft breeds and farm chunks are not desired.

**PACK MULES.**

a. Kind—Rugged, deep-hearted, deep through flanks, big-boned, smooth-gaited, with pack backs. In type, a mine mule with a pack back.

b. Height—14/3 to 15/1 hands; 15/1 1/2 hands if 6 years old or older.

c. Weight—From 1000 to 1300 pounds, according to height.

d. Age—4 to 8 years old.

e. Sex—Male or horse.

f. Price—From \$165.00 to \$190.00, according to the value of the mule as a pack mule.

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## DEVINE NEWSLETS.

### The Devine News.

### MATIN L. ZUERCHER NATIVE OF MEDINA DIES

Martin L. Zuercher, 68, 226 Camargo Street, died Saturday morning in a hospital here. Zuercher was a native of Medina County and had lived here 50 years.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Joseph Eckhart of this city; Mrs. Alex Jung, Frederickburg and Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Stonington, Ill.; a son, Herman M. Zuercher of San Antonio and a sister, Mrs. Christine Ehlinger of Devine.—San Antonio Express.

Deceased lived near Devine for several years, coming from the Hondo Section.

## YANCEY

Rev. and Mrs. Dechert left Sunday for Richland springs where Rev. Dechert will assist in a revival meeting, while Mrs. Dechert remains in Mason with relatives.

Milton Burgin and family arrived Sunday from Santa Domingo, Dominican Republic, where they lived for 13 months, drilling wells for Standard Oil Corporation.

Mrs. Ella Oefinger, Mrs. Lucille Leath, Miss Lizzie Oefinger, all of San Antonio spent last week with their mother and grandmother.

John Robert Wilson had his tonsils removed at the Medina Hospital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman of D'Hanis visited at our home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Rogers and son Jimmy visited Mrs. Luella Ward and family Sunday.

Mr. Anton Hardt entertained his brothers, Henry, Dan, Wesley, and Charles last week, several of them attended the picnic at the Faselers grove July 4th.

Miss Flossie Gerdes of San Antonio visited home folks last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burgin spent Monday in San Antonio.

Rev. Wiley Hardt conducted the evening services at the Methodist church.

## BIRY

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bilhartz and family of Brackenridge, Texas are visiting a few days with his mother, Mrs. Louisa Bilhartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bendele and daughters spent one day in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert DuBoise and daughter, Miss Kath and little Ann DuBoise of San Antonio spent Friday with W. E. Love and were accompanied home by W. E. Love.

Add to Biry—

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hardt and daughters of Freer spent a few days with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haass.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry, accompanied by Misses Joyce and Mary Dean Evans, Dolly Rackley, Dora Newman and Hanna Love spent the 4th of July at Alto Frio Encampment, the closing day of the Encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Biediger and sons of Seven Sisters spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bendele.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bader and son of Alice spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader.

UVALDE TO CROWN "MISS STAMPEDE"

Uvalde, Texas, July 15th.—A feature attraction of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers Association Show and Sale and the Uvalde Stampede Rodeo will take place Tuesday evening, July 30th, at the Exposition grounds when "Miss Stampede" will be crowned Queen of the Stampede Rodeo. Miss Stampede will be chosen from the representatives of some thirty towns of the Southwest on the qualifications of "Appearance" and "Horsemanship". Each town may send as many representatives as they desire. Each young lady will make an appearance by number and the honor will be awarded by three unbiased and well qualified judges who will place the "Stetson Crown" upon her head and she shall rule over the gay festivities of the World's Largest Goat Show and Sale, for four big days.

This pageant of the old West will be staged in the Rodeo Arena as the free feature attraction of the show.

The show business was big business for Texas 4-H club boys during 1939 as they exhibited 17,007 head of livestock at 170 shows, collected premiums totaling \$31,245.33, and made sales that brought in \$254,762.25.

Beef calves, fed out and trained by the club members, lead in volume with 2,776 head. The annual report of L. L. Johnson and J. W. Potts, state boys' club agents of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service, shows that the calves brought premiums of \$16,774.14. The total weight of the animals sold at show sales was 1,838,931 pounds, and receipts totaled \$186,798.31. In addition to local, district, and state shows, Texas 4-H club beef calves, fed under the supervision of county agricultural agents, took grand championship honors at the Chicago and San Francisco shows. There were 3,757 sheep and lambs exhibited, weight 283,212, premiums of \$3,806.79, and sales brought in \$24,245.36. Club boys showed 5,172 head of swine, weight 584,358, premiums \$5,600, and total sales, \$32,401.08. Few of the 1,361 dairy animals exhibited were sold, but the few individuals offered brought fancy prices that totaled \$5,680. Premiums added up to \$3,391.75. The 12,967 poultry entries brought premiums of \$1,672.64. Again most of the birds were kept for future demonstrations, but sales came to \$5,637.50.

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## ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

### The San Antonio Light.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Littlefield of Kerrville announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Marie, to Robert A. Griffis, son of Mrs. Bertha E. Griffis, of Taylorville, Ill. The wedding will take place July 20 in the chapel of the First Baptist church of San Antonio, with Dr. Perry F. Webb officiating.

### The Nordheim View.

### TEACHER OF HOME ECONOMIC SCIENCE ELECTED BY BOARD

At the regular meeting of the members of the Nordheim school board, Miss Lucy Justine Davis of Hondo was elected to teach home economics and science in the local school.

Miss Davis is a graduate of A. & I. College of Kingsville and comes well recommended.

This completes the faculty for the 1940-41 term. With vocational agriculture, music and home economics added to the regular courses and the facility of a modern school bus, marked improvement has been achieved for the Nordheim school.

### The Uvalde Leader-News.

### KNIPPA

Mrs. Elmer Knippa and Larry of Hondo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey, last week. They returned to Hondo Sunday.

Visitors in the W. H. Schawe home Sunday were Mrs. Schawe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Carle, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Nester and son, Don, of D'Hanis, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kramer and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Falkenberg.

O. E. Richarz of Knippa has recently sold to J. M. Allen of Uvalde 183 ewes and three bucks at an average price of \$5.30 per head.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Rock and daughter, Miss Ursie Lee, of D'Hanis and Burton Smith of Austin spent the Fourth here at the Rock's summer cottage.—Reagan Wells.

Lockhart Post-Register.

Mrs. Robert L. Kollman and her daughter, Patsy Lou, of Hondo visited her sister, Mrs. A. A. Wiede. Mr. Kollman came for the week-end and together they spent Sunday at Buchanan Dam.

### The Pearsall Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin and sons, Rother and C. E. Martin Jr., visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Rothe, of Hondo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newsom have returned to their home in Sanderson after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Newsom, friends and relatives.

### The Brackett News-Mail.

Miss Elsie Sauer, who motored to California with Mrs. J. A. Denman, and Mrs. Shaver and Miss Mary Grant of Weiner, Texas, returned home last Tuesday. On the return trip Miss Sauer's party visited Yellowstone Park, Lake Tahoe, Salt Lake City, Denver and Colorado Springs.

Ethel and James Reitzer of Hondo are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Henry Zinsmeister, and Mr. Zinsmeister.

Mrs. E. Sauer and daughter, Miss Elsie Sauer, accompanied their daughter and sister, Mrs. W. J. Bown, to Corpus Christi the first of the week, for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. Brown reside in Corpus Christi.

## FIRESTONE SERVICE FOR SIGHTSEERS

According to M. A. (Buster) Rath, manager of the Firestone Auto Supply and Service Store at Hondo, motorists are "Seeing America First" this year. The approach of the peak of the summer vacation period indicates that automobile tourist travel will set a new record during the summer season of 1940.

"Provision for personal comfort in touring," continues Mr. Rath, "is one of the most important requirements for a pleasant, carefree vacation. It's wise to choose loose comfortable clothes. If they're washable, so much the better. Some people make it a rule to eat lightly while traveling by car and to postpone the heavy meals until in the evening. Sun glasses are on many people's 'must' list. They protect against road glare, drowsiness and headaches. Many motorists carry a small, compact toilet kit with soap, wash cloth and towels so they can freshen up frequently during hot, dusty weather.

"In the interest of safety, tires should be carefully checked for nails and body breaks. Where tires are badly worn, it is best to replace them with new ones, especially in view of the current low tire prices.

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motorists frequently put a small ventilated box of dry ice in the car and close the windows. Some suspend the container right under the open cowl ventilator to cool the incoming air.

"Motorists should remember that the best tourist camps are generally filled by nightfall during the heavy travel season. For that reason an early start and the avoidance of night driving generally is the preferred schedule.

"The annoying rattle of loose tools, jacks and other equipment in a car can be eliminated by tying them together in an old section of inner tube. The jack and other equipment should be thoroughly tested before leaving on a trip to make absolutely sure that they fit and work properly. That takes minutes before the trip and may save hours enroute.

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### FARM ASSOCIATIONS ELECT

O. J. Wurzbach of Cliff, Texas,  
and F. G. Senne of Yancey, Texas,  
were named directors of the Hondo  
National Farm Loan Association for  
three-year terms, and Chas. Metzger  
of Hondo was named to succeed A.  
L. Haegelin (resigned), at a meet-  
ing of the members July 13, 1940,  
at the courthouse in Hondo.

Other members of the Board are  
James Amberson of Hondo and A. G.  
Ilse of D'Hanis.

At a meeting of the Board follow-  
ing the annual meeting of the mem-  
bers, James Amberson was named  
president and F. G. Senne, vice-  
president, and J. M. Finger was re-  
elected secretary-treasurer of the  
Association. All of the Directors  
were named on the Loan Committee.

Organized in 1917, the Hondo Na-  
tional Farm Loan Association is a  
co-operative farm mortgage institu-  
tion through which farmers and  
ranchmen obtain long-term loans  
from The Federal Land Bank of  
Houston.

Since its organization, more than  
500 farmers and ranchmen have ob-  
tained Federal Land Bank and Land  
Bank Commissioner loans amounting  
to more than \$2,000,000.00. The  
Association is located in the Hondo  
National Bank building.

A. J. Hardt and E. E. Wilson of  
Yancey were named directors of the  
Yancey National Farm Loan Associ-  
ation for three-year terms, and Dan-  
iel McCrea of Yancey was named to  
succeed W. B. Ward, deceased, at a  
meeting of the members on July 13,  
1940, at the schoolhouse in Yancey.  
Other members of the Board are Lee  
Ward and John G. Fasel of Yancey.

At a meeting of the Board follow-  
ing the annual meeting of the mem-  
bers, Lee Ward was named presi-  
dent and A. J. Hardt vice-president  
and J. M. Finger was re-elected Sec-  
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nished apartments. Phone 127  
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fice. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Mcfield are  
the happy parents of a 6-pound 13-  
ounce baby girl, born July 12, 1940,  
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DIP, WETTABLE SULPHUR,  
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prices are right. FLY DRUG CO.

Mr. Arthur Jungman was here  
from Victoria last week-end visiting  
his mother, Mrs. P. Jungman. She  
accompanied him to Bandera and  
San Antonio Sunday.

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where when our services are de-  
sired or night. Just ring Phone 75,  
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HONDO.

Miss Milton Marie Merritt arrived  
home Monday from Austin where  
she attended the summer term of the  
University of Texas, to spend the  
remainder of the summer with her  
parents, County Agent and Mrs. C.  
M. Merritt.

The sale of publicity service  
is our chief means of livelihood.  
Therefore, such matter as announce-  
ments of public gatherings where ad-  
missions are charged, articles sold or  
collections taken up are paid matter  
chargeable the same as other adver-  
tising in this paper. tf

Mrs. C. R. Gaines and Mr. Ray  
Taylor were called to San Marcos  
Saturday to the bedside of their sis-  
ter, Mrs. Marvin Walker. She had  
been ill for over a year, and she  
passed away at 9 P. M. Saturday,  
July 13, 1940. Funeral services  
were held at 5 P. M. Monday in San  
Marcos. Those attending were Mr.  
and Mrs. Ray Taylor, Mr. and Mrs.  
C. R. Gaines, Roland Gaines Jr. and  
Joe English Jr., from here, Mr. G. C.  
Taylor of San Antonio, and Mrs.  
Arthur Wiede of Lockhart.

### QUIHI NOTES

In quest of work, for health,  
change of surroundings, or due to  
the performance of duties and obli-  
gations, quite a number of people  
have, temporarily, left this commu-  
nity. John Henry Boehle is near  
Brackettville, Mrs. W. Boehle and  
daughter, Viola, in San Antonio,  
likewise Miss Angelina Groff, Miss  
Darwine Haby at Uvalde (?), and  
the pastor and family took part in  
the anniversary festivities of Rev. F.  
A. Bracher at Fredericksburg, with  
many others from far and near, en-  
joying the mountain scenery, the  
usual tire troubles and the copious  
rains, going and coming. Again we  
say, Southwest Texas has definitely  
moved into the rain belt and the  
farmers are having a hard time in  
gathering their fodder. But, other-  
wise, the country looks like enwrap-  
ped in a permanent springtime.

Among other guest-worshippers in  
service last Sunday, we were glad to  
salute Mrs. Milton Oefinger and her  
lovely baby-daughter, coming over  
from Houston and enjoying a brief  
stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
F. F. Mumme.

Mrs. Walter Grell is confined to  
the Medina hospital for some time  
already. The operation was quite  
successful and she is making fast  
strides towards recovery. Good  
news to all her friends. Her moth-  
er, Mrs. F. Schulte from San An-  
tonio, is lending a helping hand dur-  
ing these critical days. Also Mr.  
Earl Balzen is still under medical  
treatment with his injured knee, due  
to a painful accident. Trust things  
will soon be normal again.

Regular contributors and a num-  
ber of willing volunteers again have  
given us a fine evening with the Lu-  
ther League program last Sunday.  
There are always a fair number that  
will appreciate their efforts. Thanks.  
And here are the assignments for the  
next program: Select reading, Miss  
Jarlaine Balzen, Mrs. Roy Dailey,  
Mrs. Andrew Eckhardt; vocal selec-  
tions, Mrs. Elmer Nietenhoefer, Mr.  
Rolf Saathoff, Miss Aleen Grell; in-  
strumental number, Mr. Edwin Grell.  
The preparations for the October so-  
cial are more and more swinging in-  
to shape, and we hope to offer some-  
thing worthwhile.

Announcements for July 21: Ger-  
man service at 10; Sunday school  
and Bible class at 9 A. M. No even-  
ing service. A hearty invitation to  
you and family and friends.

—C. W.

### NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF MEDINA.  
To those indebted to, or holding  
claims against the Estate of Mrs.  
Emma Mann, deceased.

The undersigned having been  
duly appointed Executor of the Es-  
tate of Mrs. Emma Mann, deceased,  
late of Medina County, Texas, by  
Hon. Arthur H. Rothe, Judge of the  
County Court of Medina County,  
Texas, on the 28th day of May, 1940,  
hereby notifies all persons indebted  
to said estate to come forward and  
make settlement, and those having  
claims against said estate to present  
them to me within the time and in  
the manner prescribed by law.

My P. O. office is Hondo, Texas,  
and my residence is about 11 miles  
S. E. of Hondo, Medina County, Tex-  
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DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OUR  
OPTOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR  
CORPUS CHRISTI THE FOURTH  
OF AUGUST AND WILL NOT BE  
BACK FOR TWO MONTHS. ANY-  
ONE OF HIS PATIENTS IN NEED  
OF ADJUSTMENTS TO THEIR  
GLASSES OR HIS SERVICES, IS  
CORDIALLY INVITED TO SEE  
HIM BEFORE HE LEAVES. ON  
HIS USUAL DAYS HERE—  
THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS AND  
SATURDAYS. 4tc.

J. H. Rothe and John Zerr, A. and  
M. students, who have been at-  
tending R. O. T. C. at Camp Bullis re-  
turned home Monday. As a part  
of their training, they went overland  
with the large number of boys in  
training to Fort Clark at Brackett-  
ville, El Paso, New Mexico and Ariz-  
ona, returning to Camp Bullis Thurs-  
day. While in New Mexico they vis-  
ited Carlsbad Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ross and Mr.  
and Mrs. Fred Ross, with their fam-  
ilies, were in Hondo yesterday. They  
report a good rain Monday night  
throughout their section and crops  
and pastures are in a thriving con-  
dition. The boys are sons of the late  
O. P. Ross, a long-time resident of  
the Tarpley community. Their moth-  
er, Mrs. O. P. Ross, is enjoying good  
health.

Henry and W. L. Windrow have  
received word that their brother,  
Ralph Windrow, engineering con-  
tractor of Dallas, has received a  
contract to build an \$18,000 swim-  
ming pool for a country club in Kan-  
sas City, and that their youngest  
brother, Robert David Windrow, of  
Hondo, is working on the job and  
will be in Kansas City for a month.

Herbert Gerdes, Oscar A. Lein-  
weber and Alfred Schuele were  
callers at this office Wednesday. The  
latter gentleman, who resides at 515  
Fairplay Street, San Antonio, is with  
the Texas State Employment service  
and comes to Hondo each Wednes-  
day from 11:30 A. M. to 1:30 P. M.,  
looking after claims for unemploy-  
ment compensation.

Rev. and Mrs. Stewart Clendennin  
and two daughters, Betty Ann and  
Constance, of Houston, are guests  
this week of her parents, Judge and  
Mrs. D. H. Fly. They were spend-  
ing some time at a Camp near Ban-  
dera and Judge and Mrs. Fly were  
their guests there for several days  
last week.

County Superintendent C. F.  
Schweers reported that the Enter-  
prise School has purchased a school  
bus in which to carry the pupils of  
that school to Castroville. The Dun-  
lay school will be closed next school  
term and pupils from there have al-  
so been transferred to Castroville  
Public School.

We always appreciate personal  
items about your trips, the visits of  
your guests and friends, the doings  
of your clubs and societies, etc., when  
handed in by readers of the paper.  
Help us make The Anvil Herald seem  
like "a letter from home" to its dis-  
tant readers. tf

Mrs. Babe Ruth and Mrs. Hunter  
Nutt and grandson from Corsicana,  
Texas, visited the Eugene Huesser  
family Friday. Accompanied by  
Misses Mary Kate and Mildred Huesser,  
they also visited Miss Hulda  
Nester at the Huesser ranch the  
same day.

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farming. tf

Misses Lela Grace Reily of San  
Antonio and Jo and Kathleen Reily  
of San Marcos visited their parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Reily, last week-  
end.

A girl never forgets the man who  
remembers with WHITMAN'S  
CANDY, 50c and 75c boxes popular  
summer candy, at FLY DRUG CO.

Miss Evelyn Jane Gilliam of Cor-  
pus Christi has been the guest of  
her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.  
W. Gilliam the past week.

NEW WASH DRESSES, SIZES  
11 TO 52, SHEERS, BATISTES,  
AND BEMBERGS, \$1.00 TO \$3.98.  
HOLLMIG'S DRESS SHOP.

Miss Nora Karrer left Monday for  
San Marcos to attend the second  
summer session at Southwest Texas  
Teachers College.

Before renewing or subscribing for  
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FRIDAY - SATURDAY

July 19th-20th

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Marjorie Weaver  
in—

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West still wilder!

Also New Episode of  
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And a Short Subject  
"FLYING STEWARDESSES"

SUNDAY - MONDAY

July 21st-22nd

John Garfield  
Anne Shirley  
in—

### "Saturday's Children"

They might be you . . . this young  
couple . . . who lost happiness and  
found it again.

Also Short Subject  
"PILGRIM PORKY"

TUESDAY - WEDNES-  
DAY - THURSDAY

July 23rd-24th-25th

Wallace Beery  
Leo Carrillo  
Anne Baxter  
in—

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We wish to extend our heartfelt  
thanks to one and all for the many  
acts of kindness extended our be-  
loved wife and mother during her  
illness, we are deeply grateful for  
the many expressions of sympathy  
in our sorrow, and especially do we  
appreciate the comforting words and  
songs by the pastors and the Luther-  
an choir, and the many beautiful  
flowers.

Yours in sorrow,  
JOHN J. MOEHRING  
and FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends of  
the late Jacob J. Bendele for kind-  
nesses extended him in his last days,  
and for their expressions of sorrow  
and sympathy in his passing.

Yours in sorrow, we are his  
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On July 10, at 12:00 noon, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sadler, Roland Nester, Lacy Claude Gilliam and Victor Saathoff left for Houston to attend the State F. F. A. Convention. Lacy Claude Gilliam and Roland Nester were official delegates elected by the Chapter. Victor Saathoff was specially appointed delegate from Area 10.

Thursday night the boys attended the Lone Star Farmers banquet which was held in the Crystal Ballroom at the Rice Hotel. Also attending the banquet were Mrs. J. D. Lacy, Miss Judy Lacy and Arthur and Albert Lacy. The following is the program for the banquet:

Opening Ceremony—State Officers.  
Building the F. F. A. Emblem—State Officers.  
Dinner Course.  
Welcome Address—Haskell Lindley, President, Texas Association of F. F. A.

Greetings from the National F. F. A.—Billy B. Bryan, First Vice President, National F. F. A.  
Manor F. F. A. Choir.

"The Farmer and Society, a Partnership"—John Lee Shafner, winner State Public Speaking Contest.  
Raising Candidates to the Lone Star Farmer Degree.

Introduction of Guests—Kenneth Clopton, Farm Watch Dog, Texas Association of F. F. A.  
Awards.

Community Singing.  
Closing Ceremony—State Officers.

At this banquet 148 boys received their Lone Star Farmer degree which is the highest degree awarded by the Future Farmer organization of Texas.

The following is a program of the first general session attended by the delegates Friday morning:

Seating of Delegates.  
State Officer's Reports.  
Reports by Areas—2 minutes each.

Free Discussion of F. F. A. Problems.  
Announcements.

Greetings from National F. F. A.: Billy B. Bryan, National 1st Vice President, Forrest City, Arkansas.

Greetings from other organizations—City of Houston; Future Homemakers of Texas and other youth organizations.

After the meeting the boys went on a sight-seeing tour which took them to the Houston ship channel, to the Sylvan Beach and then to the San Jacinto battle grounds. That evening the boys attended a barbecue supper given by the Houston Chamber of Commerce.

On Saturday the boys attended the second general session of the convention which was as follows:

Report of Committees.  
Adoption of 1940-41 State Program of Work.

Installation of new officers.  
12:00 Noon—Adjournment.

At a meeting of the old and new officers Friday afternoon it was decided to have the next State Convention at Marshall, Texas.

After the adjournment of the meeting the boys and Mr. and Mrs. Sadler returned to Hondo. While in Houston the boys had the pleasure of meeting the National Vice-President of the organization, Billy B. Bryan, of Forrest City, Arkansas, and also Miss Loice Gibbens of Krum, Texas, Representative of the Future Homemakers of Texas. They also became acquainted with the following State Officers:

C. G. Seruggs of McGregor, President; Jack Dempsey of Sulphur Springs, First Vice-President; William H. Summers of Trenton, Second Vice-President; Vernon Cooier of Beeville, Third Vice-President; Edward Elliott of Shallowater, Secretary; Ely Zarborough of Beckirle, Reporter; Carl Ware of Alvin, Parliamentarian; Edward Williams of Stephenville, Historian; John Robert Scott of Mertzon, Farm Watch Dog.

Be sure and pay your 1940-41 dues if you want to go on the trip.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—USED REFRIGERATOR AND GAS RANGES: 1 6-CU. FT. NORGE REFRIGERATOR AND 2 ESTATE GAS RANGES, ALL IN GOOD CONDITION. SEE THEM AT THE CHEVROLET GARAGE, R. W. GAINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rosen of San Antonio and Mrs. Rosen's sister, Miss Virgie Stiegler, are on an extended visit to points in California. The ladies report to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Stiegler, that they are having a wonderful time. They expect to arrive home the latter part of the present week.

Mrs. Volney Boon was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club last week. Club award for high score went to Mrs. J. M. Finger and second high to Mrs. W. H. Smith. Mrs. R. C. Rath won high and Mrs. Walter Meyer won second high for the guests. Refreshments of salad, saltines, chocolate cake, squares and iced tea were served. Those present were Mesdames M. L. McDowell, J. G. Barry, W. H. Case, Frank X. Vance, Thos. B. Knopp, Walter Meyer, R. C. Rath, Herman Finger, O. B. Taylor, W. H. Smith and J. M. Finger, and Miss Thelma Lynch and the hostess, Mrs. Volney Boon.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNOUNCEMENT RATES  
District Offices .....\$10.00  
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The Anvil Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices designated, subject to action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1940.

For District Attorney,  
33rd Judicial District—

R. J. NOONAN (Re-election)

ROBERT I. WILSON

JNO. T. SPANN

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 77th DISTRICT

We are authorized to announce C. P. SPANGLER as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative for the 77th District at the Democratic primary in July.

We are authorized to announce G. C. JACKSON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative for the 77th District at the Democratic primary in July.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

We are authorized to announce JAMES R. DUNCAN as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector of Medina County at the November election.

We are authorized to announce F. G. MUENNINK as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector of Medina County at the November election.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1

We are authorized to announce JOHN G. BRITSCH as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

We are authorized to announce ALFRED A. BADER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1

We are authorized to announce ROBERT J. BRUCKS as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce P. R. RICHTER as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

## RETURNS FROM TRIP

Melvin E. Williams, State game and fish warden of Medina and Bander County, has just returned from a two weeks' visit to Wisconsin and other states.

Mr. Williams said that he visited several large game farms owned by the state game departments, among them being the Wisconsin game farm at Pointette. He reported that 550,000 pheasants and several hundred thousand quail and chukar partridges are being raised for restocking. Wisconsin has 71 counties, 71 game wardens; Texas has 254 counties and 70 wardens. Wisconsin has 29 fish hatcheries, Texas has 9. Williams said that a surprised look came over the face of one game warden when he was told that an average of 40 arrests per year was made by each warden for game or fish law violation. This Wisconsin warden told him that a game violator in his state was regarded as highly as a cow thief. Every person who fished or hunted over the age of 17 must buy a license. This is true in all states except Texas. Texas has 21 counties with this kind of a law exempting owners of land on which they fish or hunt, tenants who hunt or fish on land on which they reside, also children under 17 years of age.

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## PERSONAL APPEARANCE

MISS EVELYN JANE GILLIAM, visiting here from Corpus Christi, looks out of a lovely pair of blue eyes . . . and from the attention she is getting from the local boys-around town, a lot of our girls know what it is to be green-eyed.

The most un-flustered bridegroom we ever saw was HERMANN FOHN when he did a lot of signing and swearing to get his marriage license.

Did you know that HILMAR J. KOCH has incendiary instincts? . . . He tried to attract the attention of the fire boys at drill by striking matches and giving a shrill whistle . . . probably he'd have changed his tune if he had gotten a good douse from the fire hose . . . as it was the matches played out.

At The Barbecue: If CHARLIE SCHUEHLE's purpose was to catch the ladies' attention, he certainly was successful, for at least six asked him why he was wearing a red rosebud over his heart. . . . MRS. FRANK X. VANCE was amazed at the good behavior of her young son, but seeing he was the most admired male there, it was quite understandable . . . everybody ate onions, so the crowd was very congenial. . . . CLARA BENDELE turned down the cowboy stew but let us amateurs go on eating without explanation, which turned out to be something about saddles and old shoes, or did we hear aright? . . . FRANK X. VANCE was so insistent that everybody try the beans he was serving that when time came for him to eat, there was not a frijole left in the pot.



The Hondo Lions Club met at noon Wednesday at Mrs. Clinton Taylor's.

The date for Charter Night was set for August 20th. The secretary was instructed to mail invitations to all neighboring clubs. A dinner and other forms of entertainment will be held to which the public is invited.

The Lions Club wishes to thank Miss Grace Armstrong for use of the Club room of the Armstrong Hotel and Jno. A. Hoyer for use of the folding chairs; also Mr. Walter Case for installing the lights for the tournament. Also wish to thank those who entered the tournament.

Tuesday was the final night of the bridge tournament. Mrs. J. B. Dixon won the grand prize with the highest score. Mrs. Volney Boon took second place.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

July 11, Pedro Jimenez and Francisca Gomez.

July 16, Herman N. Fohn and Irene Poerner.

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July 17, Walter Hell and Mrs. Francisca Cruz.

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## "NAZI SPY" EXPOSES FIFTH COLUMN TACTICS

The expression "fifth column" has swept the world. From Belgrade to Battle Creek, persons who had never heard the term are now too well acquainted with it and its horrible significance. They know that Belgium, Holland, Norway, Poland and Czechoslovakia have been swept out of existence because of it.

The "fifth column" is the theme of scenes added to Warner's "Confessions of a Nazi Spy", which was hailed for its vital message last year. This new military tactic was given the name of "fifth column" by General Francisco Franco.

Madrid was being stormed. Four military columns were attacking the city walls. Franco's propaganda and intimidation had filtered into the city before his advance and within he city walls were great numbers of his men sniping civilians in the streets and organizing sabotage and espionage. In summing up the situation, the Generalissimo stated that he had five columns attacking the Spanish capital—four on the battlefield and "the fifth column in Madrid."

## HAS CAR STOLEN

Dr. H. J. Meyer's car was stolen from in front of his house between midnight and morning last Saturday, July 13, but later the same day it was recovered near Natalia where it had been deserted. The car was not stripped of its accessories, and only a small automatic pistol belonging to Dr. Meyer was missing. So far, there are no clues as to the identity of the thief.

Earlier the night before, about 10:30 P. M. Friday, Sheriff Chas. J. Schuehle locked up two young boys in the county jail on suspicion. Mr. R. A. Carter saw someone trying to get in his car and ran the party off. He then gave chase in his car and found the two boys who were later turned over to the Sheriff. However, as there was no evidence and they would admit nothing, they were freed the next day.

## LATE NEWS FROM CONVENTION

The 3rd-termite powow at Chicago, at its Thursday night session, climaxed its double-cross of the Democratic party by nominating as running mate for Roosevelt his hand-picked choice, Henry A. Wallace, a life-long Republican. Like the man who hitched himself to a bull-yearling and had to "holler" for some one to stop the run-away, we are now treated to the spectacle of both parties headed by an elephant and a jackass yoked together.

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## MEDINA COUNTY GIRLS PRESENT PROGRAM

College Station, July 11.—Mary Belle Carle and Mildred Mangold of the Medina County 4-H Club were among 17 4-H Club girls taking part in a program entitled "A Mid-Afternoon Pick-Up That's Safe", presented July 8 and 9 at the annual 4-H Club Short Course on the campus of A. and M. College.

Both appeared on two consecutive days in a program directed by Jennie Camp, specialist in home production planning for the Extension Service. Outstanding girls were selected by Miss Camp to appear on this program devoted to the superior qualities of milk.

Banana or orange milk shake, honey eggnog, chocolate milk, buttermilk with gingerbread or plain, rich, fine flavored sweet milk are superior as between-meal snacks and as mid-afternoon pick-ups, the girls pointed out in their discussions.

## NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS

July 15, Elmer W. Richardson, Devine, Ford.

July 15, Harry L. Morris, Devine, Ford.

July 15, James S. Stowell, Devine, Ford.

July 12, Alfred G. Brucks, Hondo, Dodge sedan.

July 15, E. H. Johnson, Hondo, Willys sedan.

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# DINSMORE'S FOLLY

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CRITTENDEN  
MARRIOTT

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Silently we walked along the pier. I called a taxi and we got in and gave the man the address, and we started.

We were half way home before either of us remembered poor Aunt Candice, prepared for the worst (which was sure to happen). Only she didn't dream how very worse it was to be. I was about to speak of it to Josephine, but, on consideration—I can consider when there is no particular need to act without consideration—I decided that I had better not worry her any more.

My first idea, of course, was to go to Father's office. But on the way I changed my mind. We wouldn't find Father there, of course; and we would find shoals of reporters who would probably make a headline of us: "Darling daughters dart to the defense of their dad," or something of that sort, that would make Father mad. Father hated the newspapers, except when he wanted to use them. All we could do at the office would be to find out where Father had been taken; and we could, or so I thought, find that out just as well over the telephone. So I leaned forward and told the chauffeur to take us home.

Josephine looked up at this. About thirty-fourth street she began to sniffle softly behind her veil, and I thought she had ceased to pay attention to anything. But my changing the orders roused her.

"Aren't we going to the jail?" she asked.

"The jail? Of course not," I exclaimed. "Why, Josephine Dinsmore? You know perfectly well that Father wouldn't stand for our coming to the jail. I never dreamed of going there. Besides, we don't know where the jail is."

Josephine glanced around. "Can't we ask somebody?" she faltered. "The chauffeur looks as if he ought to know."

"Shh. Don't let him hear. Do you want to get into Town Tattle? Besides, it doesn't matter. It would never do for us to go to jail. I did mean to go to the office, but I've thought it over, and I'm sure we'd better go home and telephone from there."

Josephine considered this for a moment. Then she brightened. We can send Father a bundle of underclothes and things and—

I bit my lips to keep from screaming. "Underclothes?" I gasped. "Underclothes. You talk of underclothes at a time like this. You—Stop the car—quick!" I leaned forward and caught the chauffeur's arm. "We want to get out here."

Of course I oughtn't to have caught his arm! I know that perfectly well. But I wanted to get out and I didn't have time to think up any other way to stop him. And he needn't have gotten so mad. He didn't run into anybody. He came near it, of course; but a miss is as good as a mile. I don't think our chauffeur could have been very brave, for he turned quite white and didn't speak for a minute—not till he had brought the car up to the curb.

"Get out!" he grated.

"What?"

"Get out! You wanted to get out didn't you? Well, then, get! And thank your stars you don't have to be carried."

"You—you—you—" I spluttered. I was so mad I couldn't talk. So I got instead.

Josephine followed more slowly. She handed the man a banknote. "I'm sorry," she said.

The man took the money. "Thank you, miss," he said. "No harm done after all. But if you'll excuse me saying so, you'd better keep an eye on the other young lady, Miss." He started before I could find my voice. And he didn't give Josephine any change.

Josephine seemed to understand how I felt, for she caught my arm hurriedly. "We came very fast, didn't we?" she asked. "But why did you stop a block from home, Edie?"

The question brought me back to earth. "Good gracious!" I exclaimed. "Can't you see? . . . Look?" I pointed.

A block away, in front of our house, the street was black with people. "Our dear neighbors have read the papers," I went on, "and have come to stare. I knew they would. Maybe we can get in without being noticed—much. We couldn't have if we'd arrived in a taxi."

Josephine looked at me, admiringly. I thought, "I never would have thought of that!" she murmured.

We were close to the house now and could see the people who were waiting. They did not look like neighbors, unless neighbors include everybody in New York. They seemed angry, too. I dropped my veil and motioned to Josephine to do the same.

"I don't know one of them," I whispered. "But some of them may know us."

Decidedly, the waiting people were angry—very angry. They were humming like bees. I could not understand it at first. "What the matter?" I asked a woman in a shawl who stood waiting.

She glared at me.

"What's the matter?" she echoed. "What's the matter, is it? It's ruin and destruction, that's the matter, so it is. That thafe of the world Dinsmore has stolen every cent I had laid up for me old age, that's what's the matter."

"Mr. Dinsmore? Stolen? It's not true," I gasped.

"Not true, is it? It's me that wishes to God it wasn't true! He's stolen all me savings and run away with them." She thrust a newspaper beneath my nose.

It was another and apparently a later paper than the one I had bought on the steamer. That had been chiefly headlines and text that repented the headlines; this I saw at a glance contained columns of detail. I snatched it from the woman's hands and ran my eye down it.

It was awful. The paper seemed to have thrown restraint to the winds. According to it, Father had done everything—wrecked railroads, robbed banks, gambled in stocks, ruined thousands of widows and children—and had then disappeared. But he would be found soon; the railroads and ferries were all watched and—

I read no more. At least Father wasn't in jail. I turned on the woman. "I don't believe a word of it," I cried. "Father—"

Josephine clutched my arm abruptly and I stopped. It was the first time in all her life that Josephine had done anything abruptly; and I stopped and turned to see what was the matter. I thought that perhaps she had seen Father approaching. I couldn't imagine her clutching me for any less startling cause.

"What's the matter?" I gasped.

Josephine hesitated. "Don't you think—Don't you think—" she began. "That—that—"

I didn't know what she meant. But the woman was speaking and I turned back to her. "Father—" I began again.

But she did not allow me to finish. "An' what does your father know?" she broke in. "It is himself that knows more than the grand jury that indicted Dinsmore? It is himself that knows where Dinsmore got the money to build the fine house yonder all for himself and his two daughters? The hussies! It's tearing their clothes off'n their backs I'd like to be, so I would, I'd—"

"You—you—" I spluttered. And again Josephine clutched my arm.

I knew what she meant now but was too furious to listen. No one could call Father names in my presence without my speaking up. "You—you—" I raved. "You—"

"Whist!" The Irishwoman turned away. "Yonder they come. An' I hope they've got him." She turned toward the house.

My eyes followed hers, and for the first time that morning I really looked at the house. Then I gasped. I scarcely recognized it. The upper windows were all blanked by blinds that were pulled down to the very bottom; and the lower windows and the door were hidden behind the flat wooden frames that we always put up when we went away from town in the summer. Father had said nothing about putting them up; he had let us think that he was going to live at home while we were gone. And he must have set the servants to work on them as soon as we started for the boat.

But at the moment I had no time to think of that. The small door in the big entrance frame was open and through it three men were coming. Two were policemen, and one was—was—Thank Heaven, it wasn't Father! It was Barker, the caretaker who all ways lived in the house while we were away. He peered out and then dodged back and closed the door.

The two policemen came down to the pavement and to the patrol wagon that was waiting at the curb. As the second one climbed in he turned and spoke to a man who questioned him.

"Naw!" he said gruffly. "There won't be nothin' doin'. Dinsmore ain't here; and it's a safe bet he won't be. His daughters have sailed for somewhere; and there's nobody here but a caretaker. There's no use waitin'."

He spoke to the one man, but his big voice boomed over the street so that everybody heard it. Then he jumped into the wagon and it clattered away.

The crowd seemed satisfied, for it began to disperse, drifting away by ones and twos till no one was left except Josephine and me and an officer, whom I had not noticed before, who stood watching at the corner of the

alley just beyond the house. As soon as I saw him I guessed that he had been stationed there to arrest or follow anybody who came to the house, and I made up my mind that he should not see Josephine or me. If the papers and the police thought that Josephine and I had sailed for Japan I would not undeceive them. We could hide and wait till Father turned up. Perhaps I—even I—could do something toward clearing away the cloud that rested on Father's name.

I turned to Josephine. "Come!" I said, turning away from the house.

Josephine stared at me. "Come where?" she asked. "Aren't you going home?"

"No!" I said. "We can't." I explained why we couldn't. "We can't go home. We've got to go to Dinsmore's Folly."

Josephine looked so amazed that I did not wait for her to speak. "I don't wonder you're surprised," I said. "But we've got to go there. We've no where else to go. Perhaps you've forgotten—I had forgotten, too, and the fact made me a little sarcastic—perhaps you have forgotten that Aunt Candice carried the money and that you and I are nearly busted—unless we go to the office and give ourselves dead away."

Josephine considered this for a moment. "Then," she said, "we can't afford to take a taxi out to Dinsmore."

"That's nothing," I wasn't going to admit that I had forgotten anything. "We don't need any taxi. We'll go in the subway. Come on."

I started and Josephine followed. For three blocks she followed in silence. Then just at the subway entrance she halted. "I've been thinking," she began.

I stopped and faced her. I had great respect for the result of Josephine's thoughts—when she reached them. She was slow but she was sure—often painfully so. "Well?" I questioned.

Josephine opened her big eyes wider. "I believe Father is on board the steamer," she said. "I believe that was why he sent us on her. I believe he expected to meet us on her after she got to sea."

"Good Lord!" My eyes popped wide and my mouth fell open. "If—" But there was no time for "ifs" just then. "Come along," I cried, clutching Josephine's arm. "We'll talk all that over at Dinsmore."

## TO BE CONTINUED

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## ABOUT MILK GOATS

Dairy goats are no longer curiosities. The day when they were looked upon as freaks, were ridiculed and laughed at, has passed and people are at last becoming to understand the "Little Friends of all the world" and to feel ashamed that they could ever have been so destitute of knowledge as to have made sport of so fine a creature.

Dairy goats have not been pushed bodily, to use a phrase, upon the high pedestal upon which they stand in public opinion by unscrupulous and designing propagandists, but have mounted inch by inch, slowly but surely, and are gaining the heights by their own worthiness proven thru the years in unselfish and valuable service to mankind. Not only are they taking their place in cow dairies, but they are proving that capric milk is superior in quality, is distinctly better for infants and children and is the only milk that sufferers of stomach trouble and many other forms of disease can tolerate.

In Dallas, Texas, alone there are three large goat dairies which have a city-wide patronage, and last fall one of them was shipping goat milk to his dairy from 500 miles away and wired me for at least 15 additional gallons of milk per day, stating that his herd was large, he could not supply the demand. To one hotel alone he was selling 75 quarts per day. This hotel caters largely to travelling men, (who most of us will admit are the best informed and broadest minded class of people) and many would not drink any but capric milk.

Three weeks ago a young man, a graduate of Texas A. & M. College, who has just opened a modern cow dairy in Scott, La., came to my ranch and purchased a truck load of fine French Alpine and cross-bred does as a foundation for a dairy goat department to his cow dairy. This young man supplies customers in Lafayette, La., (where there are 49 smaller dairies), with grade A unpasteurized cows' milk, and wished to be the first dairy in the State to offer capric (goats') milk to his customers. But first he asked the advice of the physicians and they met in conference, and seeing the advantages to them in being able to always secure goats' milk for their patients, advised my young customer to add dairy goats to his establishment,

which seems to prove that doctors, after they learn the truth about capric milk, are our goats' best friends.

From reports drifting in, Louisiana, Alabama, and Mississippi are becoming exceptionally active in dairy goat ownership. So popular is the idea that goats are being shipped into the states in numbers and distributed among the parishers for family use.

Recently I received a letter from a fellow Alpine breeder in Burt, Iowa, in which she said she had just shipped 13 grade does to Alabama and would soon ship 5 pure-bred French Alpines to parties in the same State.

Tho' I do not make a specialty of catering to milk consuming patrons. I being a breeder of fine French and Rock Alpines to furnish other breeders foundation stock, I am now selling 36 quarts of capric milk per week and my customers come for it from Lampasas, 22 miles away, and Austin, 65 miles from Burnet. Some of these people were advised to drink the milk by the surgeons at the hospitals, others are just possessed of great personal wisdom and are drinking it in spite of the inconvenience of having to travel a long distance to get it. They have formed a cooperative club and take their times about coming for it, twice a week and taking enough back each time to supply the needs of each until the next trip here after more.

Recently Dr. Daid Roberts, Waukesha, Wisconsin, said in a published letter, "Recent reports show that there are 175 deaths a day in the United States from tuberculosis. Were I to offer a suggestion that would bring about the best and most dependable results to prevent these dairy deaths, it would be that every patient afflicted with tuberculosis in every sanitarium in America be given from one to two pints of unpasteurized goats' milk per day." I would like to go Dr. Roberts one better and say, "Every sufferer of tuberculosis in America whether a patient in a sanitarium or not should drink—not one or two pints—but one or two quarts of live goats' milk per day." Dr. Roberts further says, "If this plan was put in action, it would not be expecting too much to say the daily death rate could be cut at least 50%." If this is true—and I have implicit faith that it is—isn't saving the lives of about 37 people a day worth while? And, when so simple a method is at hand what is there to prevent this salvaging of human lives? Surely ignorance and prejudice in this enlightened day of progress would not be tolerated as a bar to long life and happiness.

To show how awakened to the health-giving properties of goat milk the scientific and medical world has become, the Pennsylvania Biological Research Foundation was organized in 1939 under the nonprofit corporation laws of the State of Pennsylvania. The Charter is perpetual and its membership has extended into forty states, from Maine to California, and is increasing.

The purpose for which the Foundation was formed is, as stated in its Charter, "To further Biological Research through established laboratories, in cooperation with institutions of learning; scientific clinical studies in the adoption of Capric (goats') Milk to human needs; to provide sanitarium facilities for patients under observation; and conducting an experimental station for goat breeding and capric milk production."

Dr. Walter Roach is President of the Foundation and the cooperating officers are such successful men of the scientific and medical world as H. M. Martin, V. M. D.; J. Cecil Rhodes, M. S.; John D. McLean, M. D.; M. A. Emmerson, V. M. D.; Eugene Foy, M. D.; Joseph A. Pierro, Ph. G.; A. H. Spangler, M. D.; John P. Turner, M. D.; Joseph W. Vansant, V. M. D., and others.

In subsequent articles I plan to tell how the Foundation works thru State Regional Directors who supervise a corps of County Compliers in every county in the U. S. and how they place the results of their scientific experimentation of capric milk before every doctor, surgeon and dentist in America.

It's a colossal work, too great for many to appreciate, but it is bearing fruit that will be of untold benefit to suffering humanity and should have the cooperation of every man and woman in the United States.

MRS. EDWARD SCHNABEL.

Despite the challenging efforts of more than 500 Jersey cows officially tested in Texas during the year, the championship for 305-day butterfat yield was held by Sultana's Gamboe Dream, tested in the herd of R. E. Hildebrand, San Antonio, with a yield of 769.49 pounds of butterfat, 13,754 pounds milk. The 365-day butterfat championship was retained by Nobleman's Katy Lee, tested in the herd of the John Tarleton Agricultural College, Stephenville, with her yield of 925.46 pounds of butterfat, 15,488 pounds of milk.

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## "Freedom-of-the-Press" Exponent Candidate For Criminal Appeals Judge

Hon. George E. Christian, Who Wrote Opinion Upholding Rights of Newsmen to Report Trial Testimony to Public, Seeks Promotion; 12 Years Experience As Commissioner.

By Texas Capital News Service.

AUSTIN.— Candidacy of Hon. George E. Christian of Burnet County for judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals recalls to newspaper men throughout the State the opinion written by Judge Christian as appeals court commissioner in 1935 that definitely set out the "freedom-of-the-press" in the matter of reporting and publishing for the public accurate news of testimony and proceedings in a trial court. A district judge presiding over a murder trial in Brazoria county had instructed three Houston newspaper reporters present not to publish the testimony in the case until after the trial of companion cases set for later date involving two others in the same alleged crime, lest it prejudice and thereby disqualify prospective jurors in the subsequent trials, possibly requiring a change of venue.

The newsmen, Harry McCormick of the Press, Frank L. White of the Post and Ed Rider of the Chronicle, communicated the court's instructions to their respective managing editors, Ed M. Pooley of the Press, Max Jacobs of the Post and George Cottingham of the Chronicle, who refused to refrain from publishing the testimony. The six men, after being duly cited and given a hearing, were adjudged to be guilty of contempt of court and assessed fines. The case attracted nationwide attention in the summer of 1935.

When it reached the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, and was given a hearing, it devolved upon Judge Christian to write that court's opinion. As recorded in the 88 South Western Reporter, 2nd series, pages 104-8, this opinion reveals some gems of democratic philosophy, couched in terse phrases, that are apropos at this time in light of contrast between democratic and totalitarian governments.

## Bill of Rights Involved

Overruling the lower court, the commissioner opined:

"It appears to us that respondent unduly stresses the tendency of accurate newspaper reports of public trials to embarrass the administration of justice. Under our statute opinions formed from reading newspaper accounts may not disqualify a juror from sitting in a particular case."

More important, the record shows the issues involved the 8th section of the Bill of Rights of the Constitution, which in part reads:

"Every person shall be at liberty to speak, write or publish his opinions on any subject, being respon-

sible for the use of that privilege and no law shall ever be passed curtailing the liberty of speech of the press."

Commenting on the quoted section, the opinion reads:

"The language of this provision makes plain its purpose to prevent previous restraints upon publication. The privilege of writing one's views is accorded and protected, and at the same time as countervailing the law is demanded for the abuse of the privilege."

And then continues:

"It is generally conceded that liberty of the press means immunity from previous restraints or censorship."

It concludes: "In the nature of things, the proceedings of public trials constitute news which newspapers have the right to publish in informing the public of current events."

A flood of newspaper editorials evidenced approbation of the Christian opinion.

## Another Important Decision

Another important decision of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals where the opinion was prepared by Judge Christian, is the case against Herbert Tigner from Harris county that holds in effect the right of the state legislature to enact anti-trust legislation for control of industrial interests who would combine in restraint of trade but exempt agricultural and livestock producers, labor unions and taxpayers' groups. This opinion was sustained May 6, 1940, by the United States Supreme Court.

A native and resident of Burnet county, Texas; a student in Southern University, Georgetown, and a graduate in both arts and law from the University of Texas; an officer in the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I; George E. Christian has served as a district attorney, assistant attorney general, and as a member of the Board of Pardon advisers before his appointment as a judge of the commission in aid to the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, July 1, 1927. A commissioner is appointed by the Court to sit in on consultations and write opinions, but has no vote. After a service of 13 years in this capacity Judge Christian is now going before the court of public opinion to ask a promotion.

By Irv Tirman

## NAPPY

SUBSCRIBE FOR THIS PAPER AND KEEP UP WITH LITTLE NAPPY

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS ARE TAKING PLACE AND WHILE THE VOTES ARE BEING COUNTED WE FIND THE GANG, ANXIOUSLY AWAITING THE RESULTS, OUTSIDE THE "JUNIOR LEAGUE" HEADQUARTERS.

IT'S IN TH' BAG, OGLETHORP OL' BOY! A CINCH!

Y'LOOK KINDA NOIVISS, TUFFY!

WHO'S NOIVISS? I AIN'T NOIVISS!

SH-H! THEY'RE GONNA ANNOUNCE TH' RESULTS NOW!

TH' WINNAH AN' NEW PRESIDENT... OGLETHORP Q. GONKLE!!

RAY FER OGLETHORP! HURRAH! 'RAH! 'RAH! 'RAH!

OH YU KID!

SPEECH!

F'R HE'S JOLLY GOOD FELLOW!

MY FRIENDS.

WE DEMAND A RECOUNT!

IT'S A FAKE!

BOO! HISS-S-S

WHAT'RE YOUSE GUYS TRYIN' T' PULL!

NERTZ!



## IMPORTANCE OF THE HOME

By Mrs. L. E. Armour

We, the lowly people, almost stand awe when we think of the grandeur of life in our National Capitol. Why should we when each and every home is a vital part in that life? When we think that communities spring from homes, counties from communities, states from counties and that nations are formed from states then we realize that the home is the basis of all that we are. Citizens of the homes are the supports upon which our nation must depend. He cannot be more nor less than they desire or are. The same rule applies to holders of lesser offices. To achieve all of us to take a care of our own qualities, then set about to learn the aspirations for our various offices. Possess such qualities as are required to fit them for the position which they aspire—not wait until they are elected to begin looking for flaws in their characters. But the best material will come out of the test required in the making of a man or woman worth while. A man or woman must be decent to such a degree as to wield through their influence a strong force for decency, honesty and righteousness. All the cardinal virtues of which the highest is charity, must be employed. Cheerfulness, industry, truthfulness, perseverance, economy, hope, self-control, endurance, gratitude, temperance, and honesty too are required. It has been said that honesty is the first step to greatness. That is a weak statement. Honesty is greatness itself. It sometimes happens that men and women who crave rapid accumulation of wealth practice secret methods imagining it is not harmful if detected. That is a vain refuge. Be sure your sin will find you out.

One may possess all the above mentioned virtues and yet be incompetent without the possession of plain common sense. Without strong reasoning faculties no amount of intelligence will enable them to extricate themselves from the various tangles of life without bruised, torn or broken characters.

We are not politicians—just one among the mass of God's lowly people. We have spent quite a number of years in this chaotic old world and need many changes. No matter how elected we console ourselves with the thought that we have just good officer as the other fellow.

But we do a lot of wondering about some things. Just now we are wondering if the pride that stimulates our forefathers to hide their hurts and keep fighting doggedly onward when about to fall has become a habit. True they had no organization to which they could appeal for help and but few would have accepted themselves of the opportunity except as a loan had it existed. They endured all kinds of hardships while of course they suffered for bare it bravely and did not give. The majority of them possessed unquestionable integrity.

What about today? Is it because there is no longer a "Word of Honor" relief workers are compelled to go through with so many varied, drawn out procedures of investigation of every applicant for help that many deserving ones actually die before securing aid, even work they could be self-sustaining? Is it because that all of us have degenerated to the point that our word is no longer supported by dozens of others before it will stand? Then if it is true there could be a lot of saved ones were honest and it became as citizens to refrain from them of others who depart from paths of righteousness and begin to prune the rotten branches of character from our own tree thus setting in motion a wave of helpfulness that will widen as it goes through communities, counties and states utilizing reaching throughout our nation. This means working day and night through sunshine and shadows, sense that we cannot see clearly but the everlasting light of love for humanity. Then we never be ashamed of our nation and proudly boast of it as a beacon light for other nations to follow. Let's strive to reach a higher level ourselves and help the other upward. We should profit by grave mistakes that have been made and realize that we with our parties in all that happens. We are not grinding our own axes. God has provided a way for us to earn a living. We are just so much as we cannot understand. That

## CARE OF CHICKS

At this time of year baby chicks exhibit tendencies towards a tendency, according to Geo. A. and M. Extension Service, in the brooder house and lack of care at the feed hoppers. The windows with red light will help. A red light in the feed hoppers will help. The feed must be provided to help the chicks. Chick troubles come in the form of rickets, slipped tendons, and wobbly gait, sore joints and tendency on the part of the birds to die of the time. Put the brooder in a green range or add one-half percent of cod liver oil to the feed.

A fourth less poultry moved from Texas farms to interstate points in January than during January, 1939. Figures compiled by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research show. Shipments of eggs, on the other hand, gained 50 per cent to 24 cars. A total of 31 cars of chickens was shipped, 38 per cent less than in January a year ago while turkey shipments totaled 13 cars, a gain of 44.4 per cent.

Chicks with slipped tendons have black joints and crooked legs. Addition of 20 percent wheat shorts to the ration will prevent nutritional paralysis. Chicks with black joints and crooked legs are not likely to be affected. Dehydrated alfalfa should be given to birds not on range.

## INSURANCE FIRMS GET LARGEST AAA CHECKS

By Charles J. Coe

The largest soil conservation payments were made to life insurance companies, according to the report submitted to Congress on payments of one thousand dollars or more made in connection with the 1937 program. The top payment of \$257,095.64 went to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., which the Monopoly Committee recently cited as owning \$83,290,000 of farm lands, more than any other insurance firm.

The AAA report shows that 20,000 insurance companies, corporations and farms received soil conservation payments of one thousand dollars or more in 1937.

**Big Payments to Insurance Companies**

Metropolitan Life Ins. Co.	\$257,095.64
Prudential Ins. Co.	231,158.00
Travelers Ins. Co.	211,521.98
Equitable Life Assur. Co.	206,962.42
Union Central Life	166,280.84
Mutual Benefit Life	161,110.96
Northwestern Mut. Life	156,444.20
John Hancock Life	147,647.22
Connecticut Gen. Life	91,257.33
Aetna	90,881.95
Equitable Life of Iowa	77,676.21
Connecticut Mut. Life	41,837.99

AAA officials state that the average payment made to the 3,750,000 farmers participating in the program amounted to \$75. Over half the farmers got less than \$40 apiece. Five hundred and ninety-four payments amounted to \$5,000 or more apiece; and 272 payments amounted to \$10,000 or more.

Eleven payments of more than \$100,000 each were made; and twelve payments fell in the \$50,000 to \$100,000 bracket.

**Other Large Soil Conservation Payments**

Delta & Pineland Co.	\$ 64,168.47
Miss. Delta Planting Co.	13,232.97
Miss. Godechaux Sugar, Inc.	10,434.55
of La. King Ranch of Texas	112,140.04
Matador Land & Cattle, Col.	60,153.04
Calif. Lands, Inc. of	27,230.73
Calif. Packing Corp.	14,235.33
Libby, McNeil & Libby, Cal.	14,159.58
Kern County Land of	37,384.21
Hawaiian Pineapple Co., Haw.	42,754.47
Calif. Packing, Hawaii	17,059.21
Waialua Agri., Hawaii	50,617.85
Hawaiian Corn & Sugar, Haw.	34,843.65
Kohala Sugar Co., Hawaii	17,544.30

The largest payment other than to a life insurance company or financial institution went to the King Ranch in Texas. The second largest went to the Delta & Pineland Co., generally known as the Johnston Plantation. California and Hawaiian corporations also appeared prominently on the list.

Beginning with the 1938 AAA program, payments to any one farm owner were limited to a maximum of \$10,000 on farms located within a single state. This limitation did not apply on the 1937 program, however, and the extent to which it reduces the payments to companies such as life insurance firms which hold farms in many states, has not been reported. Sugar is exempted even from any maximum.

The House has adopted an amendment to the AAA, not yet passed upon by the Senate, limiting payments to \$5,000 for farmers other than those having tenants. The amendment applies a graduated scale to payments in excess of \$1,000 but sets no ceiling of any sort on payments made to owners having tenants.

In opposing this House amendment Senator Lee (Okla.) states, "Under the guise of lowering the ceiling, it will again take the ceiling off." He told the Senate, "I think we should limit the payment to \$300."

## TO THE TEXAS SOLDIERS WHO LIE BURIED ON MONUMENT HILL

LaGrange, Texas

Sleep on in peace, oh bravest men  
Who names immortal bear.  
Your sleeping place is hallowed ground,  
Your obelisk a prayer.

The winding Colorado flows  
So gently where you lie,  
The spreading Live Oaks shelter you  
Beneath the Southern sky.

A fitting bier to honor you,  
Whose courage saved for me,  
The heritage which I most prize—  
My homeland, fair and free.

The granite shaft commemorates  
Your deeds of valor too,  
And they who live in future years,  
Will love and honor you.

May I so grandly do my part,  
If duty calls for me  
To give my life, a sacrifice  
To keep my homeland free.

—BELLE KILLOUGH  
STANDERFER.

## ADVANCES

God gives us  
Many chances  
And when we  
Give Him one  
Then we think  
What wonders  
We have done.

—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

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## SAMPLE DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominee of this primary.

- For United States Senator:**
- TOM CONNALLY of Falls County  
A. P. BELCHER of Erath County  
GUY B. FISHER of San Augustine County
- For Congress, 15th Congressional District:**
- MILTON H. WEST of Cameron County
- For Governor:**
- W. LEE O'DANIEL of Tarrant County  
HARRY HINES of Wichita County  
JERRY SADLER of Gregg County  
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON of Travis County  
R. P. CONDRON of Cameron County  
ERNEST O. THOMPSON of Potter County  
ARLON B. CYCLONE DAVIS of Dallas County
- For Lieutenant Governor:**
- COKE R. STEVENSON of Kimble County  
CHARLES LAVERGNE SOMERVILLE of Dallas County  
ALTON M. MEAD of Tom Green County
- For Comptroller of Public Accounts:**
- CLIFFORD E. BUTLER of Harris County  
GEO. H. SHEPPARD of Nolan County
- For State Treasurer:**
- HARRY MCKEE of Travis County  
CHARLEY LOCKHART of Travis County
- For Commissioner of the General Land Office:**
- BASCOM GILES of Travis County
- For Attorney General:**
- GERALD C. MANN of Dallas County
- For Superintendent of Public Instruction:**
- S. R. LEMAY of Henderson County  
L. A. WOODS of McLennan County
- For Commissioner of Agriculture:**
- WILLIAM N. CORRY of Tarrant County  
J. E. McDONALD of Ellis County  
W. W. KING of Sabine County
- For Railroad Commissioner:**
- BRYAN PATTERSON of Jim Wells County  
OLAN R. VAN ZANDT of Grayson County  
EUGENE T. SMITH of Travis County  
ERROL HOLT of Dallas County  
WM. H. McDONALD of Eastland County  
WALTON D. HOOD of Travis County  
CHARLIE LANGFORD, JR., of Galveston County  
CLYDE E. SMITH of Tyler County  
OLIN CULBERSON of Jackson County  
JOHN PAUL JONES of Rusk County  
PIERCE BROOKS of Dallas County  
BAKER SAULSBURY of Potter County  
ROSS HARDIN of Limestone County  
JOHN PUNDT of Dallas County  
JOHN D. COPELAND, JR., of Travis County  
BAILEY SHEPPARD of Gregg County  
LARRY MILLS of Dallas County  
O. O. TERRELL of Brazoria County
- For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:**
- JAMES P. ALEXANDER of McLennan County  
TUCK CHAPIN of Bexar County  
JOHN O. DOUGLAS of Harris County  
RICHARD B. HUMPHREY of Dallas County  
H. S. LATTIMORE of Tarrant County  
GORDON GRIFFIN of Hidalgo County
- For Associate Justice Supreme Court:**
- JOHN H. SHARP of Ellis County  
WM. RICHARD WATKINS of Tarrant County
- For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:**
- TOM L. BEAUCHAMP of Smith County  
GEORGE E. CHRISTIAN of Burnet County
- For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 4th Supreme Judicial District of Texas:**
- THOMAS D. COBBS of Bexar County  
JAMES R. NORVELL of Hidalgo County
- For State Senator, 29th Senatorial District:**
- H. L. WINFIELD of Pecos County
- For Representative, 77th Representative District:**
- G. C. JACKSON of Zavala County  
C. P. SPANGLER of Uvalde County
- For Judge, 38th Judicial District:**
- K. K. WOODLEY of Uvalde County
- For District Attorney, 38th Judicial District:**
- R. J. NOONAN of Medina County  
JNO. T. SPANN of Zavala County  
ROBERT I. (BOB) WILSON of Kerr County
- For County Chairman:**
- JORDAN T. LAWLER
- For Chairman, Precinct No. ....**

The above is a sample of the ballot as it will be used in all of Medina County, save in the Devine Commissioner Precinct where local candidates names also appear.

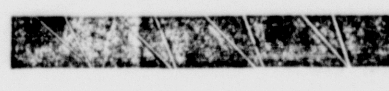
## ABOUT ADVERTISING

Newspaper advertising is merely the salesman that talks to more prospects than any other salesman can.

No merchant would think of employing his star salesman on the floor hit and miss—a day now and a day next month, giving him a job whenever he happened to feel in the mood. Every merchant wants his star salesman on the job regularly.

Smart merchants, who know how to make advertising pay, keep their advertising, which talks to more prospects than all their salesmen put together, many times over, on the job regularly.

An advertisement in The Anvil Herald reaches more people than any other advertising you can employ.



## Select Your Farm Ranch or Home

FROM THE PROPERTIES LISTED BELOW AND LET US SERVE YOU.

**8300-ACRE RANCH**

\$40,000.00 cash and assumption of \$36,000.00 government loan can handle the purchase of an 8300-acre ranch, now leased for grazing at 35c per acre and for oil at 25c per acre. Two thousand acres under irrigation survey, in a two-crop year country—a splendid opportunity for developing townsite and irrigation farming district. Traversed by state highway and high power electric line. Irrigated land in that section selling for from \$75.00 to \$125.00 per acre. This is an exceptional opportunity for a man with capital to make an investment that will earn a handsome profit. For further details write or see us.

HONDO LAND CO.  
Hondo, Texas.

**THE JOHN M. KOCH HOTEL PROPERTY.**

A two-story brick building, conveniently located on north side of railroad track in town of D'Hanis is for sale at a reasonable price and easy terms if desired. Will also consider trade for farm or ranch land if found suitable. For further particulars see or write the owner, H. B. Wernette, 425 Clifford Avenue, Corpus Christi, Texas, or consult the agent, Hondo Land Co.

**STOCK FARM FOR SALE.**

A 670-acre farm, three miles northwest of Hondo, 116 acres in fields, balance in pasture, two wells with windmills and abundance of good water. Priced to sell on easy terms to be agreed upon. Rich black land soil and good pasture land; ideal for stock farming.

**BUSINESS LOTS FOR SALE.**

Two business lots adjoining the Hondo Baptist church at a bargain price and on terms to suit. Half block south of Highway 90, and suitable for any type of business building.

**FARM FOR SALE.**

A 100-acre farm two miles west of Hondo, chocolate and black sandy loam soil 65 acres in cultivation, all fenced and cross-fenced, small rent house and good well. Easy terms at only \$35.00 per acre.

**SAN ANTONIO PROPERTY**

Two houses, one-story frame residences on three lots on West Mulberry St., San Antonio, for sale for \$6,500.00. All city conveniences.

**\$1500.00 WILL BUY** two 5-room cottages, centrally located on paved streets. Electric lights, gas and city water. Apply at Anvil Herald office or phone 127-3 rings.

**Acres or town lots in the beautiful Barkuloo Addition to Hondo for sale on a low down payment and easy installments. See the Addition and see us for price and terms.**

**A desirable lot in residence section of Jourdan, Atascosa County for sale or will exchange for anything of equal value**

Three southeast corner lots in Los Angeles Heights addition to San Antonio for sale reasonable.

An attractive building site of one acre on the north side of town for sale reasonable.

## IMPROVED FARM.

A bargain in a well-equipped stock farm, with good six-room farm home and \$1500.00 worth of implements and machinery, awaits a man with \$2000.00 cash and reasonable credit rating. Owner is sacrificing to enter business in city and must dispose of same to grasp opportunity. If you have two thousand dollars and want a stock farm at an astounding bargain price consult The Fletcher Davises of the Hondo Land Co. If you don't mean business don't bother—the owner wants a buyer not a botherer. tf.

**FOR SALE**

The former W. H. Windrow homestead, across the street west of the waterworks, two-story frame residence. Six upstairs rooms and four on first floor, two complete baths with hot-water heater, all modern city conveniences; 6-car garage. Suitable for large family or ideal for rooming house. For price and terms see The Fletcher Davises, managers of the Hondo Land Co.

**BRICK RESIDENCE FOR SALE.**

Six-room brick residence, substantially built and conveniently arranged, fine well and also city water, conveniently located in southeast part of Hondo on a two-and-one-half acre block of land. Known as the A. H. D. Hurt homestead property. Will be sold at an inquiring price and on easy terms. Inquire of Hondo Land Co. tf.

**FARM LAND FOR SALE**

A 75-acre farm tract, two miles northeast of town for sale at a bargain if taken at once. A good investment for any one with the money. For particulars see—HONDO LAND CO.

**A FINE BUILDING SITE.**

Only \$350.00 will buy lot 6 and the east half of lot 7 of Block 37, the same being 90-feet front of the northeast corner of the block. Formerly known as the Earnest place, and one of the prettiest building sites in Hondo. Inquire of Hondo Land Co., phone 127.

**FARM FOR SALE.**

The J. H. Berry farm of 156 acres is for sale at \$22.50 per acre. Good field of 140 acres; 16 acres in pasture. Five-room house, small barn and dug well. Seven miles south of Hondo and easy of access. A splendid opportunity for small stock farmer. Apply to HONDO LAND CO.

**HOMESITE FOR SALE.**

One of the prettiest homesites in the Los Angeles Heights Addition to San Antonio, being lots 11, 12 and 13 of the Southeast corner of block 144. On graveled street, one block from paved street and near city school.

**FOR SALE—4-room cottage on graveled street—Electric lights, gas, garage, cow shed and chicken house. \$1500.00. Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil Herald Office. tf.**

**Farms for the man who wants to farm, ranches for the man who wants to ranch; town property for either who wants to retire and move to town. We have the place to suit you.**

One lot 140 x 50 feet, Burnside addition, few steps off graveled street, \$250.

If you do not see what you want here tell us anyhow; we'll find it for you.

**THE FLETCHER DAVISES, Managers, HONDO LAND CO., Licensed Land Sales and Rental Agents**

Phone 127 Hondo, Texas



# :-: D'Hanis Doings :-:

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

## Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 1940

Charles Saathoff, James Love, Richard and George Hitzfeld are at Camp Bullis taking a month of military training.

Jane, Dorothy Grace and John L. Cook of Kingsville returned to their home Sunday with their father and brother after spending several weeks with their aunt, Mrs. Pete Saathoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Finger and daughters, Norma Lee and Maurine, of Skidmore, are guests of Mr. L. J. Finger and family.

Miss Grace Zinsmeyer left Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Taylor and son of Pettus for a motor trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Mrs. Herman Enderle of Beaumont left Saturday after having been the guest of Mrs. John Rieber.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carle of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Carle Tuesday.

Mrs. R. J. Zerr and children of Hondo visited Mrs. Mina Koch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Bendele and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bendele and daughter of Dunlay were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nester Sunday.

The banns of matrimony have been published for Miss Irene Poerner and Herman Fohn, the marriage to take place in Holy Cross Church on Monday morning, July 22. Miss Poerner has been named the honor guest of several courtesies prior to the wedding.

### WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Melvera Rothe entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club and other guests at her home last week. Shasta daisies and other flowers were used for decoration. High score prizes went to Mrs. James Finger, member, and Mrs. Charles Finger, guest. Miss Gladys Rieber cut high.

Others present were Mesdames Arthur Nester, Herman Ney, Robert Zuberbuehler, O. J. Reinhart, A. J. Finger, Ed Koch, W. A. Nehr, Alfred Rath, Louis Carle, Jr., Oscar Rothe, Misses Tina Rothe, Sarah Koch, Sara Rothe, Cornelia Koch, Stella Finger, Josie Rothe, Ethel Rothe, and Lillian Fohn.

### WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB GIVES SURPRISE SHOWER

Miss Stella Finger was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club and several guests at her home this week. Bouquets of zinnias adorned the room arranged for the players. At the close of the games Miss Lillian Fohn received high for members and Mrs. A. J.

Finger for guests. Mrs. Herman Ney drew high for consolation, and Miss Sarah Koch received low score trophy. The hostess served delicious ice cream and angel food to the above and the following players: Mesdames Ed. Finger, Arthur Nester, Robert Zuberbuehler, Maurice Finger, Don Scott, and James Finger, and Misses Irene Poerner, Tina Rothe, Gladys Rieber, Melvera, Sara and Ethel Rothe. A bride-elect of July and former member of the club, Miss Irene Poerner, was given a surprise handkerchief shower at the conclusion of the bridge games.

### D'HANIS RESPONDS TO RED CROSS APPEAL

In response to the recent appeal of the American Red Cross for war relief funds, the voters of the D'Hanis precinct have contributed, up to July 17, a total of \$65.80. If there are any others who wish to make contributions, they may do so at the D'Hanis State Bank or the D'Hanis Post Office.

Following is the list of donors:

G. C. Hutchinson, \$1.00; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rothe, \$2.50; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nehr, \$1.00; Eulalia Loagaria, 5c; Woodrow Glasscock, \$2.00; Loreto Cortez, 10c; M. M. Koch, \$1.00; M. L. Riley, 50c; Fred Ontveros, 15c; Wilfred Zerr, 25c; Herman N. Fohn, \$1.00; J. B. Nester, \$1.00; A. G. Rse, \$1.00; L. A. McNutt, \$1.00; Ed. S. Koch, 50c; Bertha Sauter, 50c; Jos. Koch, \$1.00; F. J. Carle, \$1.00; T. Spikes, \$1.00; M. A. Zinsmeyer, \$1.00; Mrs. J. P. Ephraim, \$1.00; J. P. Ephraim, \$1.00; D'Hanis State Bank, \$2.00; A. J. Finger, \$1.00; Leop. Clou, \$1.00; Leonor Ibarra, 10c; W. R. Rudinger, 50c; Ben Koch, \$2.00; Paul Reinhart, \$1.00; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, \$2.50; Rely Carle, \$1.00; Louis Carle Jr., \$1.00; W. J. Moore, \$1.00; Louis Cartesier, 25c; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ney, \$1.00; Mrs. Emma Rothe, \$2.50; Tina Rothe, \$5.00; H. J. Poerner, \$1.00; Richard Wallrath, \$1.00; A. E. Nester, 50c; R. A. Clary, \$1.00; Aug. E. Saathoff, \$1.00; James Finger, 50c; Hilmar J. Koch, \$1.00; Cornelia Koch, 50c; Henry Nehr, \$1.00; Josie Rothe, \$1.00; P. F. Saathoff, \$1.00; A. J. Boog, \$1.00; A. Lopez, 25c; R. F. Wolff, \$1.00; Perfecto Cortez, 50c; Norman Ernst, 15c; Sara Rothe, \$1.00; Howard Rothe, \$1.00; Mrs. Theresa Ney, 50c; Mrs. Elizabeth Ney, 50c; Mrs. Lena Langfeld and Miss Carrie Langfeld, 50c; Mrs. Gertrude Saathoff, 50c; Clayton Nester, 50c; R. R. Miller, \$2.50; Emil Nehr, \$1.00; Mrs. Anna McGraw, \$1.00; Joe Nehr, \$2.50; Jakob Schmidli, 50c.

# :-: Castroville Cullings :-:

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for pay business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 16, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and sons, Ronald and Harold, of LaCoste, visited relatives here Sunday evening. Constance Tschirhart, who had spent the week there, accompanied them home.

Miss Mary Louise Noonan of San Antonio is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Noonan, and children at Flint Hill Ranch.

H. G. Howard Jr. of here spent the week-end with his parents at Pleasanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter, LaVerne, of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Biry and daughter, Frances, Sunday.

Eugene Suehs, Howard Haas, Robert and Sha Williamson of San Marcos spent the week-end visiting homefolks Howard and Robert returned to San Marcos Monday to resume their studies.

Dolly Tschirhart is spending the week with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stein and son above Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blackman and daughter, Elvis Ann, of Laredo are visiting in the Gene Mangold home this week.

Miss Vivian Haller entered the Santa Rosa School of Nursing in San Antonio Monday for a three years' course of study.

Mrs. Joe Hans and daughter, Vera Lee, and sons, Harvey and Edmund, of San Antonio were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schott, Mrs. Harry Hans and daughter, Leatrice, and Ivy Jean Keller were San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg and Miss Elrine Stolte and Mr. John Reus are attending the program of the Eleventh Annual Lutheran Chautauqua for Church Workers in Seguin, Texas, at the Texas Lutheran College from July 16 to 19th.

Miss Lilly Neill of Santa Anna, Texas, arrived Saturday evening by bus to spend some time with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Karm.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wernette and son, Fred Jr., of San Antonio were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs.

Emil Halbardier.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haass and daughter, Kay Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Groff and son, Royce Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Haass, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmitt and son, George, Mrs. Louisa Haass, of here and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Haass of Noonan and children were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bendele at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groff of LaCoste visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tschirhart and children Sunday evening.

Misses Helen Tschirhart and Isabel Karm spent Sunday visiting in San Antonio.

Anna Louise Tschirhart is visiting her cousins at LaCoste this week.

### CASTROVILLE C. Y. O. MEETS

The monthly meeting of the Castroville C. Y. O. was held Wednesday evening, July 10, at the parish hall. The president, Miss Isabel Karm, opened the meeting with prayer.

After the business session the meeting was in charge of the recreation committee.

Several games of bunco were played and prizes awarded to the winners.

Refreshments of sandwiches, vanilla wafers and punch were served by Misses Melba and Virginia Wurzbach, Harley Haegelin, Alton Stein, Ernest Bourquin.

The next meeting will be held at the parish hall, Wednesday night, August 14, at 8:00 o'clock.

—Reporter.

### CASTROVILLE LUTHERANS ATTEND DEDICATION SERVICE AT ROUND ROCK, TEXAS.

The following friends attended the dedication service of the new girls' dormitory at Round Rock, Texas, on July 10, 1940: Mrs. Robt. Stolte, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wurzbach, Mr. Herman Wurzbach, Mr. Willie Furbach, Mrs. Mary Balzen, Mrs. F. C. Stinson, Mrs. Hy. Boehme, Mrs. Schneider, Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg, Mrs. Otto and son, Leonhart Otto, Miss Lena Geiger, Mrs.

Willie Bippert, Mrs. Hueser, Mrs. Wm. Tschirhart, Mrs. Mary Halty, Mrs. Fritz Weiblen, Mrs. Max Bippert and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kriewald Sr.

The visitors enjoyed the beautiful trip and also the inspiring divine service at 10:30 in the morning. The afternoon program was well rendered. At 3 P. M. a business meeting was held. A splendid report was given by the Supt. Rev. Theo. Krienke. The Castroville bus left Round Rock at 5:30 P. M. After making several short stops along the way, the bus arrived at Castroville at 10:30 P. M. Everyone enjoyed the day.

### TSCHIRHART-MEYER REUNION

Many attended the reunion of the Tschirhart and Meyer families held at Wernette's Garden Sunday, July 14th. Threatening weather, and in some parts rain, kept quite a few from coming. Dinner, served picnic style, was greatly enjoyed.

At 2 o'clock an interesting program was rendered, that seemed to please all. The program was as follows:

Musical Trio, Medley—Mrs. A. Hoog, piano; Mrs. J. L. Mechler, harmonica, and Aaron Mangold, guitar.

Prayer. Songs by crowd—"The Eyes of Texas," and "The More We Get Together."

Song, "In An Old Dutch Garden"—Maxine Tschirhart.

Poem, "Great Grand Dad"—Wilbert and Harold Tschirhart.

Songs by crowd—"Du du liegst mir im Herzen," "The Old Gray Mare."

Harmonica Duets, "Augustine," "La Cachucha" and "Humorsque"—Mrs. Mechler and Wilbert Tschirhart.

Violin Solo, "O Tannenbaum"—Clovie Scheweers.

Introduction of newlyweds and babies, and silent respect of departed relatives.

"The Woodpecker Song"—Donald Tschirhart.

Song, "Playmates"—Dorothy Tschirhart.

Song, "I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen"—Harold Hans.

Talks by Pete Tschirhart, Phil Jagge and Mrs. Mechler.

Tap Dance—Droitcourt Sisters.

Acrobatic Dance—Miss Mangold.

Songs by crowd—"God Bless America," "Holy God We Praise Thy Name."

Later the good music of Artzt and Ahr needed no second bidding for dancing, old and young. All in all the hours passed much too soon to end a most enjoyable reunion.

Contributed by one of the crowd.

### ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, July 21st, 1940.

8:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes—John Reus, Supt.

9:30 A. M. English divine service.

The Church is not a human, but a divine institution. The Church stands for everything sacred in individual, social and national life. The Church, with her voice of comfort and love, becomes the ally of every man and woman in the battle of life.

Won't you make a real effort please to be present next Sunday.

The Church with a welcome.

A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor.

### CASTROVILLE NATIVE BURIED

Funeral services for Mrs. Marie Bilhartz Mullins, 62, who died Saturday morning, July 13, 1940, in her home, 316 Dwyer Avenue, San Antonio, were conducted Monday morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Rev. Charles J. Haas officiated. Rosary was recited at 8 P. M. Sunday.

Pallbearers were Frank Grimsinger, Fred Ahr, Jack Donohue, Richard Hennessy, C. J. Lykens and R. L. Burnett Jr.

Mrs. Mullins was born in Castroville and had resided in San Antonio most of her life. She is survived by three brothers, Jake, John and Frank Bilhartz, and a sister, Mrs. G. Raymond Wallace, all of San Antonio.

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### ANVIL SPARKS

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whole, is no larger now than a few years ago, when a billion dollar looked like a lot of money even to a congressman.

The exact figures, as published in the Annalist and compiled by the National Industrial Conference Board tell a vastly different story. Says the Annalist: "In the seven years ended June 30, 1939, the Federal gross debt (not counting the government guaranteed debt, which on June 30, 1939, amounted to \$5,169,591,592) increased SOMEWHAT from \$19,487,009,766 to \$40,439,532,411. Total State and local debts in the meantime DECREASED from \$19,330,000,000 to \$19,626,000,000, so that the total indebtedness of the Federal State and local governments REMAINED PRACTICALLY UNCHANGED, having shown the negligible, microscopic, infinitesimal increase of \$21,249,000,000 from \$38,817,000,000 to \$60,066,000,000."

If the increase in the Federal debt had been offset, as reported, by a corresponding decrease in local debt there would be no local debt. In fact State and local governments on the whole would have a small surplus in their treasuries! So it looks as if one more effort to alibi our national debt has flopped.

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### A LYNN LANDRUM COMPLIMENT

In his personal Thinking Out Loud column in the Dallas News, Lynn Landrum thus compliments the President's astuteness:

"Mr. Roosevelt is probably the greatest politician of the English-speaking race in our generation, and one of the greatest of any generation."

Then he proceeds to define a politician thusly:

"For present purposes a politician

may be defined as a man who:

"1. Senses what the people are for at the moment.

"2. Undertakes to be for that, whether it is practical or not.

"3. Knows how to get the votes for himself and his cause.

"4. Proceeds to compromise anything and everything as expediency requires.

"5. Aims to always win."

Who could love—or have confidence in—a politician?

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Some doubtless well intentioned people, calling themselves the British American Ambulance Corps, preface a call for our help in supplying ambulances to Great Britain with this admission: "As you probably realize, the BRITISH ARMY LOST PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE EQUIPMENT IT HAD IN FLANDERS. This equipment included hundreds of ambulances. The British forces are now badly in need of new ambulances and drivers." We can all sadly agree with them that "supplying replacement ambulances is an important, humane and unwelcome activity." But can America undertake it? That lost British equip-

ment was immediately turned against them by their enemies. It seems to be a military certainty that England must surrender to Germany. It follows that our country is next in the line of Germany's aggression. It is a painful fact that we are short of war equipment. Is it wise, then, to take of our slender store to send to England, to be surrendered by them to the Germans to be turned against our own country? "Self-preservation is the first law of nature" and the possible consequences of our every move need to be carefully considered and wisely determined in advance.

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It is not deniable that private enterprise has at times been guilty of abuses against the public interest. But these abuses have been and can be corrected. Under a system of free enterprise, no man, no business can long exploit the people and survive. The democratic process has within itself the cure for all that threatens its existence and welfare, BUT WHERE POWER IS TAKEN FROM THE PEOPLE AND VESTED IN THE STATE, a very different situation obtains. ABUSES and CORRUPTION BECOME ENTRENCHED. And when that happens, there is but one cure—revolution, which overthrows those in power and establishes a new and different system. That is why, in the long sweep of history, the failures of private enterprise appear so insignificant, and its achievements so vast.

R. M. Hofer.

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In contemplating any kind of tax it is proper to consider the ultimate effect it will have. Advocates of natural resources taxes seem to forget that whatever can be said in their favor they are sales taxes just the same; the consumer must pay or there will be no sale to pay the tax. Make the tax so high that the producer cannot meet competition, to purchase and industry will languish and die.

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If your wife laughs at your jokes you may be sure you have some good ones—or else you have a mighty good wife.—Montreal Star.

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